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LIST OF DEPARTURES FROM BOMBAY FOR MARSEILLES & LONDON

WITH LIBERTY TO CALL AT BRINDISI AND MALTA.

Date of Sailing.	Steamer.	Tons.	Connecting at Aden with	Tons.
April	SALSETTE	6000	MOLDAVIA	9500
"	MANTUA	10868	....	...
"	SALSETTE	6000	MONGOLIA	9508
May	ARABIA	7903	....	...
"	SALSETTE	6000	MOMBA	10890
"	EGYPT	7912	....	...
"	SALSETTE	6000	MOOLTAN	9631
June	PERSIA	7951	....	...
"	SALSETTE	6000	CHINA	7932
"	CALEDONIA	7558	....	...
"	DEVANHA	8092	MALWA	10883
July	HIMALAYA	6898	....	...
"	SALSETTE	6000	MACEDONIA	10512
"	ARABIA	7933	....	...
"	SALSETTE	6000	MARMORA	10509
"	EGYPT	7912	....	...

All the above Mail Steamers are fitted with WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

The above Steamers convey Passengers to Marseilles, Plymouth and London.

Passengers for Brindisi transhipped to a connecting Steamer at Port Said.

Tenders leave the BALLARD PIER on day of sailing. All passengers must attend at that place at 2-30 P. M. for Medical Inspection by the Health Officer of the Port.

Friends of Passengers cannot go on board the Mail Steamer.

TO COLOMBO, STRAITS, CHINA, AUSTRALIA AND NEWZEALAND.

The Company's Steamers leave Bombay fortnightly usually on WEDNESDAYS, taking Passengers for the Ports, China and Japan, and Return Tickets are issued on favourable terms.

For Accommodation and further information, apply to

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REGULAR SAILING FROM BOMBAY TO MARSEILLES AND LIVERPOOL.

The following SAILINGS have been arranged:—
ANCHOR LINE SAILINGS.

HOMEWARD PASSENGER SEASON, 1911.

Steamer.	Tonnage.	Captain.	Leave Bombay.
Ausonia	5716	C F Osborne R N R	15th Apl, 1911
India	5106	Wm. Kelso	24th " "
Italia	6388	J. Hamilton	7th May "
Pavia	6368	A. Haig	20th " "
Camilla	5091	J. Thomson	9th June "
Olympia	5124	G. Mitchell	21st " "
Ausonia	6716	C F Osborne R N R	11th July "
India	5106	Wm. Kelso	23rd " "
Italia	6388	J. Hamilton	8th Aug. "
Pavia	6368	A. Haig	21st " "
Camilla	5091	J. Thomson	8th Sept. "
Olympia	5124	G. Mitchell	23rd " "
Ausonia	6716	C F Osborne R N R	9th Oct. "
India	5106	Wm. Kelso	21st " "
Italia	6388	J. Hamilton	4th Nov. "
Pavia	6368	A. Haig	18th " "

Schedule of the revised rates of fares from Bombay Homeward ports by the Anchor Line steamers:—

	Single.	Return
Bombay to Suez	Rs. 413	627
Bombay to Portsaid	" 446	677
Bombay to Marseilles and back from Liverpool	" 578	924
Bombay to London Overland from Marseilles and back from Liverpool,	" 653	399
Bombay to Gibraltar	" 590	891
Bombay to Liverpool	" 605	957
Bombay to New York	" 808	1,340
Bombay to Cairo, including train fare from Suez	" 446	

All return tickets are available for 2 years.

Concessions granted to families, Railway employees, Hospital Nurses, Missionaries, Tea planters, &c.

Each steamer carries a duly qualified surgeon and experienced Stewardess and is fitted with every comfort.

All steamers have electric lights and electric fans in every cabin free of charge.

Officers of the Army are exempted from the penalty attached to overstaying their leave by reason of delay in arrival of steamer, provided it is timed to arrive within the period of their leave.

The advertised rates to Europe include a passage by S. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer between Karachi and Bombay. For any further information regarding passage apply to the undersigned.

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
AGENTS, Bombay

DEUTSCHE OST AFRIKA LINIE.
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Regular Fortnightly service from BOMBAY to DURBAN via ZANZIBAR.

THE following steamers will SAIL:—

Steamers.	Tons.	Capt.	To Sail about 1911.
a b Somali	2,655	Staffregen	16th April.
a Margraf	3,680	Ihle	3rd May,
b Kanzler	3,000	Schutt	19th "

Taking passengers and cargo for LAMOO, MOMBASA, ZANZIBAR, GERMAN and PORTUGUESE COAST PORTS and DURBAN.

a Will carry also cargo and passengers for Cape Ports.

b Will call at Seychelles.

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Agents.

24, Mellow Street, Bombay 1st April, 1911.

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BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LD.

INTEND TO DESPATCH STEAMERS AS FOLLOWS:—

FOR KARACHI.

Weekly from Victoria Dock.

Steamer.	Tons.	Sailing. Date.	Time.	Route via.
Lhasa	2171	Fri. 14th April.	6 a.m.†	direct.
Linga	2171	Mon. 17th April	11 a.m.	*P D & O M.
Dwarka	1695	Thurs. 20th April	9 a.m.	via O. M.

†Or later on arrival of English Mail Steamer.
*Porebunder, Dwarka and Cutch Mandvi.

FOR CUTCH MANDVI, KARACHI AND BUSREH (Weekly).

S. S. "Dwarka," 1695 tons, on Thursday, 20th April calling (for Mails and Passengers) at Muscat, Bushire, Mahomera, also taking Passengers and cargo on through bookings to Ahwaz and Baghdad.

FOR VERAWAL, MANGROLE KARACHI AND PERSIAN GULF (Weekly).

S. S. "Bulimba," 2510 tons, on Monday, the 17th April, calling at Pasni, Gwadur, Muscat, Bunder Abbas, Dubai, Linga, Bahrein, Bushire, and Koweit.

FOR EAST AND SOUTH AFRICA.
(Monthly.)

S. S. "Pundua," 3305 tons, on Saturday, 22nd April, calling at Seychelles, Mombasa, Zanzibar, Mozambique, Beira, Delagoa Bay and Durban.

FOR COAST PORTS AND CALCUTTA.

S. S. "Landaura," 3308 tons, sailing on or about 22nd April.

FOR RANGOON OR CALCUTTA (Direct).

Frequent sailings, for particulars of which, also as to onward connections to ports in Arracan, Burma, Straits Settlements, Mauritius, Australia, and New Zealand,

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14th April, 1911.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES,

FRENCH MAIL STEAMERS.

TO MARSEILLES.

Vessels.	Tons.	Captain.	To Sail on
			THURSDAY
Armand Behic	6,335	Guionnet	11th May 1911.
Caledonien	4,130	Melber	8th June 1911.
Sydney	4,118	X	6th July 1911.
Polynesien	6,363	Bruno	31st July 1911.
Salazie	4,147	Riquier	3rd Aug. 1911.
Australien	6,365		28th Sept. 1911.
Nera	5,589	Casanova	26th Oct. 1911.

INTERCHANGEABLE TICKETS.

RETURN TICKETS can be made available for one way by the Messageries Maritimes, and the Return Voyage by the Austrian Lloyd's or the Navigations General Italiana's at Reduced Fares.

TO AUSTRALIA DIRECT
AND THE FAR EAST, TRANSHIPPING AT COLOMBO.

Vessels.	Tons.	Captains.	To Sail on or about.
Sydney	4,118	X	21st April 1911.
Salazie	4,147	Riquier	19th May "

For further particulars apply to—

J. de COURTOIS,
Albert Building Hornby Road. Agent.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S S. N. Co.

UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT

ACCELERATED LINE TO TRIESTE.

Steamers.	Tons.	Captain.	To sail on.
Praga	3905	M. Dabscevich	15th April 1911
Kberber	5423	A. Foresti	1st May "
Bohemia	4231	G. Gillhuber	16th " "
Africa	4719	E. Seberich	1st June "
Koerber	5423	A. Foresti	1st July "
Africa	4720	E. Seberich	1st Aug. "
Koerber	5423	A. Foresti	1st Sep. "
Africa	4720	E. Seberich	1st Octr "
Bohemia	4234	G. Gillhuber	16th " "

ORDINARY LINE via KARACHI.

Steamers.	Tons.	Captain.	To sail about.
Vorwaerts	5990	R. Dannecker	26th April.
Austria	7588	J. Raicich	28th May.
Olbia	6017	P. Pavisich	27th June.
Ferdinand	6046	B. Cobol	27th July.

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Saloon Class to Trieste or Venice	Rs. 450 & 500 *
Saloon Class to Trieste or Venice and back	" 675 to 750*
Saloon Class to London	" 545 " 635*
Saloon Class to London and back	" 865 " 1020*
Intermediate Class to Trieste or Venice	350
Intermediate Class to Trieste or Venice and back	" 525
Intermediate Class to London	" 445
Intermediate Class to London and back	" 715

* Fares according to position of cabin and class of Railway.

ORDINARY LINE.

Saloon Class to Trieste or Venice	Rs. 450
" Class to Trieste or Venice and back	" 675
Saloon Class to London	" 545 to 635
" Class to London and back	" 865 to 945

* Fares according to class of Railway.

RETURN TICKETS available for TWO YEARS ELECTRIC FANS AND LIGHTS are fitted in all the cabins free of charge

THROUGH TICKETS TO LONDON.

Single and Return Tickets are issued via Trieste, the St. Gothards, Tauren and other Routes.

INTERCHANGEABLE RETURN TICKETS are issued to return either by Messageries Maritimes from Marseilles, or Societa Nazionale di Servisi Maritimi from Genoa or Naples to Bombay, or by North German Lloyd from Genoa to Colombo, or vice versa.

STEAMER TO JAPAN via COLOMBO, PENANG, SINGAPORE, HONGKONG,

SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA AND KOBE

Steamer	Captain	Tons	To sail about
F. Ferdinand	B. Cobol	6046	24th April 1911

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FOR BRINDISI and VENICE Transhipping at PORT SAID

Vessels.	Tons.	Captains.	To sail on
R. Rubattino	4,580	L. Mancini	15th April 1911
D. Balduino	4,580	D. Maganzine	15th May 1911
R. Rubattino	4580	L. Manchini	15th June 1911

RATES TO THE ABOVE PORTS INCLUSIVE OF WINE, BEER AND FANS.

	1st Class	2nd Class	3rd Class
Single Tickets	Rs. 500	Rs. 350	Rs. 165
Return Tickets available two years	Rs. 750*	Rs. 525	Rs. 247-8

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Through and Return Tickets to LONDON on application.

Through tickets to New York in connection at Naples, or Genoa. 1st Class, Rs. 728; 2nd Class, Rs. 525. Special Rates for Missionaries. Passengers for Europe have the option of going via Genoa and returning via Venice or vice versa, and can break their journey at any port en route.

INTERCHANGEABLE RETURN TICKETS are issued to return either by the Messageries Maritimes from Marseilles or by the Austrian Lloyd from Trieste.

BOMBAY to COLOMBO, PENANG, SINGAPORE and HONGKONG.

Vessels.	Tons.	Captains.	To sail on
Capri	6,000	P. Figari	16th April 1911
Ischia	6,000	G. Belsito	16th May 1911
Capri	6,000	P. Figari	16th June 1911

Fares to COLOMBO Rs. 75, to PENANG Rs. 140 to ....to SINGAPORE Rs. 185 and to HONGKONG Rs. 230.

Through bills of lading for Mediterranean Black Sea, and American Ports issued.

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THE ELLERMAN LINES OF STEAMERS.
(CITY AND HALL LINES).

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AT REDUCED FARES.

Steamers.	Tons.	Leave Bombay, 1911.	Leave Karachi, 1911.
C. City of York	7705	April 24	* April 21
B. Merton Hall	4327	not fixed.	...
C. City of Glasgow	6529	May 12	* May 9
B. City of Naples	5739	.....	" 17
A. Trafford Hall	5321	" 30	...
C. City of Manchester	5551	.....	June 10
C. City of Lahore	7000	.....	" 15
C. City of York	7705	.....	July 15
C. City of Paris	9200	.....	" 19
C. City of Glasgow	6529	.....	August 1
A. Trafford Hall	5321	.....	" 24
C. City of Calcutta	7512	.....	Sept. 5
C. City of Lahore	7000	.....	" 12
C. City of Athens	5594	October 1	...
C. City of York	7705	.....	Nov. 2
C. City of Benares	6973	.....	" 18
C. City of London	9000	.....	" 24
A. Trafford Hall	5321	.....	Dec. 6
C. City of Lahore	7000	.....	" 12
C. City of Athens	5594	.....	" 29

* Sailing from Karachi and calling at Bombay for passengers only.

A.—1st Class Passenger Steamers fitted throughout with Electric Light and Fans and carrying both Surgeon and Stewardess.

B.—Cargo Boats carrying neither Surgeon nor Stewardess having accommodation for two to twelve passengers.

C.—Steamers which have both First and Second Class accommodation as also Surgeon and Stewardess.

Electric Fans are fitted in all Cabins on A and C Class Steamers free of charge.

Concession granted to families, Railway employees, Hospital Nurses, Missionaries, Tea Planters, etc.

Special Reduced rates for European servants, accompanying first class passengers.

Officers of the Army are exempted from the penalty attached to overstaying their leave by reason of delay in arrival of Steamer, provided it is timed to arrive within the period of their leave.

Sailing dates and fares are subject to alteration without notice.

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To Marseilles, Naples, Genoa, Antwerp, Hamburg and Bremen. Through rates of passage money may be obtained. For passages and full particulars apply to Bombay:—Messrs. Ed. Bates & Sons Agency.

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Have arranged a Passenger service between BOMBAY, GENOA, and MARSEILLES as follows:—

TO MARSEILLES OR GENOA.

Steamers.	Tons.	Captain.	Leave on or about.
Homayun	3,363	T. L. Molony	10th May
Khosrou	3,768	J. Hannah	25th May
Homayun	3,363	T. L. Molony	13th July
Khosrou	3,768	J. Hannah	27th July

In both Steamers superior accommodation is provided for Passengers. The Vessels are fitted throughout with Electric Light and carry both Surgeon and Stewardess. While special arrangements have been made as to cuisine, the fairs range from Rs. 300 to Rs. 350 according to location of Cabin, return passages being granted at greatly Reduced Rates. Further particulars may be had on application to the Undersigned or the local Shipping and Passenger Agents.

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PURE GENUINE OLIVE OIL of the Olives, now in great demand.
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"The Dunlop grooved tread tyres supplied with my 12-16 Sunbeam in December, 1909, have now run over 10,000 miles. . . I am selling the car with the tyres still on, so I don't know how much further they will do. I suppose you will take the credit for the car being light on the tyres, but the tyres must be made of good stuff, too, because they had a bad start, with 1,000 miles in the New Forest over unrolled flints. Needless to say, I shall have the same make of tyres on the new car."

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Snowflake 150° in cases.
Chester 125° " "
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PUBLIC NOTIFICATIONS.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

The insertion of Advertisements in the "Bombay Gazette" is not guaranteed unless they are delivered at the office by 6 p.m. on the day preceding that on which they are to appear.

NOTICE TO JURYMEN.

THE ATTENTION of JURYMEN is directed to the Preliminary JURY LISTS published in the "Bombay Government Gazette," of the 13th instant.

Suggestions for alterations or corrections in the said Lists should be sent in writing to the Clerk of the Crown or the Undersigned before the 19th instant.

S. B. BROACHA,
Sheriff of Bombay.

Sheriff's Office,
Bombay, 13th April, 1911.

THE SASSOON SPINNING & WEAVING CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a DIVIDEND of Rupees fifty per Share, free of Income-Tax, for the year ending 31st December 1910, declared at the 38th Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company, held on Wednesday, the 12th instant, will be paid to those Shareholders, whose names appear on the Register on the 3rd instant, on and after Wednesday the 19th April, 1911.

By order of the Board of Directors,
ARDESHIR EDULJEE DALAL,
Secretary.

No. 3, Forbes Street, Fort,
Bombay, 12th April, 1911.

NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS, stating age and qualifications, are invited for the post of SUPERINTENDENT, Bombay Municipal Schools. Salary from Rs. 250, to Rs. 350, with Rs. 25 carriage allowance. Copies only of certificates to be enclosed.

N. B. MASANI,
Secretary, Schools' Committee.

Municipal Office, Bombay 13th April 1911.

LIST OF ESTATES to which Letters of Administration have been granted to the Administrator-General, Bombay, and of Estates which have come under his charge:—

DAVID GRAY, late of Neemuch, a Driver on R. M. Railway, European.

GEORGE MURRAY ROLLAND, V.C., late of Nagpur, a Major in the 101st Grenadiers and Adjutant, Nagpur Volunteer Rifles, European.

JEREMIAH JOSEPH, late of Bombay, a merchant, Jew.

JOHN WILLIAM RICE, late of Bombay, European.

Dr. FRANCIS FORBES LANYON PENNO, late of Bombay, European.

FELICIE AUGUSTINE PIA, Nee THOMAS, late of 20 rue de Longchamps Paris, European.

Mrs. LOUISA CATHERINE VERNON, late of Clontarf, in the County of Dublin, European.

PERCIVAL ST. GEORGE MANSERGH, late of Quetta, a Lieutenant in the 124th (D. C. O.) Baluchistan Infantry, European.

All persons having claims against, being indebted to or holding property belonging to the abovenamed estates, are hereby requested to state their claims, pay their debts and hand over such property to the undersigned forthwith. All claims must be sent to the undersigned within one month from the date of this advertisement. At the expiration of the said period the assets of the estates will be distributed and claims received after that period will not be recognised.

J. SANDERS SLATER,
Administrator-General.

Administrator-General's Office, High Court,
Bombay, the 23rd day of March, 1911.

BANKS.

NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LD.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL... £ 2,000,000
PAID UP CAPITAL..... £ 1,000,000
RESERVE FUND..... £ 800,000

HEAD OFFICE:
16, BISHOPSGATE, LONDON E. C.

BRANCHES:

Calcutta,	Chittagong,	Aden (Camp.)
Bombay,	Tuticorin,	Aden, (Steamer Point)
Madras,	Cochin,	Zanzibar,
Karachi,	Rangoon,	Mombasa,
Lahore	Mandalay,	Nairobi,
Amritsar,	Colombo,	Entebbe,
Delhi,	Kandy	Kampala, Uganda.
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BILLS OF EXCHANGE, payable in the principal Cities of Europe, India, China, Africa, and Australia purchased or collected.

DRAFTS are granted on the Head Office and Branches of the Bank and on the principal Cities of Europe, Africa, America, and Australia. Remittances may be made by telegram.

The Bank undertakes the purchase and sale of Government Securities, Stocks, and Shares and receives same for safe custody, realising interest and Dividends when due.

LOANS and CASH CREDITS granted on approved Securities.

Post Box No. 141 BOMBAY. W. J. K. HEGARTY, Acting Manager.

ALLIANCE BANK OF SIMLA, LD.

CAPITAL (Paid up)..... Rs. 20,00,000
RESERVE FUND (in Government Paper)..... Rs. 26,00,000

HEAD OFFICE: SIMLA.

BRANCHES:

Calcutta, Bombay, Agra, Ajmere, Cawnpore, Darjeeling, Lahore, Mussoorie, Murree, Rawalpindi, and Umballa.

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Under instructions from Messrs. The Bombay Steam Navigation Company, Ltd., Messrs. Mencse & Co., will sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY, the 18th April, 1911, at 3 p. m. (S. T.,) at New Coal Bunder, Mazagon, on account of the concerned the undermentioned goods damaged by fire and or water ex. s. s. Natravati.

About 1,098 bags, wheat, rice, toordall, cummin-seed, groundnuts, betelnuts, corriandersead, Fennel-seed, joowar, black pepper, Turmeric, sawa grain, ghandy drug, goolal, boar, dry ginger, oorid, subja-seed, khar, copra, moong, cloves, shajeera, hing, planks, &c., &c.

369 bags sugar.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required on the lots being knocked down.

MENESSE & Co

Bombay, 14th April, 1911.

BENNETT & COMPANY,
No. 22, APOLLO STREET.

TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, the 15th instant, at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.) Messrs. BENNETT and Co., will sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms, a quantity of grey and coloured piece-goods, etc.

AT 2 P. M. (S.T.)

1 handsome strong rubber-tyred bicycle coupe wheels broughams, nearly new, in very good order.

1 second hand rubber-tyred palanquin office shigram, in good order.

1 handsome strong rubber-tyred victoria in good order.

1 handsome strong bay Arab horse, 8 years, goes well in harness,

1 grey pony, quiet in harness and saddle.

1 handsome black Arab horse, 8 years, goes well in harness.

1 set of new harness, double reined bridles and English snaffles nearly new.

On SATURDAY, the 22nd instant, at 2-30 p.m., (S.T.). Messrs. BENNETT and Co., are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at No. 8, Green Mansions, Apollo Bunder, very valuable and handsome teak and blackwood also carved and Ratnagiri made furniture, rich glass and crockery ware, best plated ware, large dining table in 5 pieces, arm and without arm chairs, mirror back sideboard and dumb-waiters, large durrie carpets, partition screen, table, hanging and hall lamps, drawing room suits of sofas and chairs, fancy mirror back cabinets, parian and terracotta figures, fancy table ornaments, one ebonized cottage piano, one Milner's safe on stand, teakwood, square and side teapoys, cane chairs, beaded door chicks, single and double bedsteads, mirror door cloths gown almyrahs, chest of drawers, dressing and wash hand tables, clothes and gown presses, one aviary with birds, old guns and swords for wall ornaments, aluminium utensils, etc. etc.

The property of the Hon'ble Mr. W. L. Cameron, I. C. S. and others.

Catalogues will be published and the property on view 4 days before the sale.

BENNETT & Co.

Bombay, 14th April, 1911.

On THURSDAY, the 27th instant at 2 p. m. (S. T.) Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at "Connaught House," Queen's Road, behind the Church Gate Station, very valuable and handsome teak and blackwood also carved, Ratnagiri and English made furniture, rich furniture by Wimbridge, Robert, Mackenzie and others, rich glass and crockery ware by Treacher and Dolton, one large English telescopic dining table for 24 persons, 24 leather cushions, chairs to match, large size boards and dumbwaiters, rich platedware, large carpets, drawing room suites, Chesterfield sofas, English cabinets, chiffoniers, rich ornaments, oleographs and oil paintings, Persian rugs, one revolving top writing table, revolving office

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DAILY MARKET REPORT.

LONDON MARKETS.

LONDON, April 12.] [BOMBAY, April 13.

FINANCIAL.

	Rates.	Plus.	Minus.
2 1-2 per cent. Consols ...	81 15-16	1-8	
do. Rentes ...	96		1-4
1-2 do. Sterling Loan ...	95 1-2		chgd
1-2 do. Gov. Securities...	84 7-16		chgd
Bar Silver in London ...	24 9-16	1-16	
do. 2 months' hence...	24 3-4	1-8	
Bar Silver in New York ...	53 1-4	3-8	
Exchange on London at Paris ...	25-30 1-2		chgd
do. do. at Berlin...	20-46	1-2	
do. do. New York ...	4-83 3-8	1-8	
Discount Bank of England Rate...	3 p.c.	since	
do. Short London Bills	9th Mar.		
3 months' sight...	2 1-2	un	chgd
do. Indian Bank Bills			
6 months' sight...	2 5-8	1-8	
do. 3 months' Fine Trade Bills...	3	1-8	
do. 6 months' Fine Trade Bills...	3 1-8	un	chgd
Interest day-to-day Loans ...	2 3-4	1-8	
do. 7 day Market Loans...	2 7-8	1-8	

Bar Gold 77-9 unchgd
Exchange on India, 30 days' sight (Bank's buying rate) 1 3 23-32 unchgd.
Amount paid into the Bank of England, about £200,000.
Closing Tone of Silver.—Indian buying.

COUNCIL BILLS.

At the periodical Biddings for Council Bills on India to-day for Rs. 1,00,00,000,

Rs. 5,40,000 were allotted to Calcutta
" 5,20,000 " to Bombay
" 8,60,000 " to Madras

Total Rs. 19,20,000

Tenders on Calcutta at 1s. 4 1-16d. (Min. Rate) received 11 per cent. above that rate in full.
Tenders on Bombay at 1s. 4 1-16d. (Min. Rate) received 11 per cent. above that rate in full.
Average rates of allotment, Calcutta and Bombay 1/6/06.
Telegraphic Transfers:—
Rs. 32,40,000 were allotted to Calcutta.
" 43,40,000 " to Bombay.
" 5,00,000 " to Madras.

Total Rs. 80,80,000

Tenders on Calcutta at 1s. 4 3-32d. (Min. Rate) received 11 per cent. above that rate in full.
Tenders on Bombay at 1s. 4 3-32d. (Min. Rate) received 11 per cent. above that rate in full.
Average rates of allotment: Calcutta and Bombay 1/6/09.
Total amount of Bills sold during the week ending Tuesday evening including last Public Sale, Rs. 1,06,40,000.
Amount to be allotted next week Rs. 1,00,00,000.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL—

Spot	Easier. Good business done.
Futures	... Quiet.
East Indian	... Quiet.
Manchester,	Firm with a fair demand.
Total Sales	... 14,000
Sold on Speculation and for Export	1,500
Imports	... 19,000
Mid-Americans	... 7-8—06
Egyptian F. G. F. Brown	... 10 unchgd.

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES :—

Apl.-May	May-June	June-July	July-Aug.	Aug.-Sept.
7-61 —04	7-31 —04	7-57 —03	7-53 —02	7-33 —03

Sept.-Oct.	Oct.-Nov.	Nov.-Dec.	Dec.-Jan.
6-97 —02	6-82 —03	6-78 —02	6-76 —02

New York Official noon call May 14-54 July 14-47.

NEW YORK—

		Bales.
Receipts at U. S. Ports	...	4,000
Receipts at " Last year	...	12,000
Exports to Great Britain	...	7,000
Exports to Continent	...	9,000
Spot Cotton—	...	14-65—05
Futures—Month of May 14-58—62		Declined on unfavorable cables and on bear pressure and liquidation.
Futures—Month of July 14-51—52		

NEW ORLEANS—

Spot cotton	...	14 1-2 unchgd
Futures—Month of Mar	...	14-61+02
Do. " May	...	14-68+03
Closing Tone of Spot Cotton	...	Steady.

MANCHESTER, April 13.

Grey shirtings 41-42 in. 38 yards 16×15 ... 8-10
" " 44 in. 36—36 1-2 yds 9lbs... 9-3
White " 40-41 in. 40 yards 18 sqr ...10-10
" nainsooks 13 in. 19 yards 22×21...6-9

YARN.

40S Banner Mill Twist 11 5-8
George Mayall's Yarn 11 1-2

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

F. G. F. Tinnevelly Liverpool C. I. F.... 7 5-32
Months—April-May.—Nominal.

WHEAT.

White Choice Karachi ...33 1-4—1-4
Do. Months—May-June.
Do. Name of Ports—London.—Sellers.
Red Karachi ...32 3-4—1-4
Do. Months—March-April.
Do. Name of Ports—London.—Nominal.
Tone—Easier.

SOUTH AMERICAN.

Rosario Santa Feb-62lbs ...32 5-8 unchgd
Do. Month—April-May.
Buyers &c.—Sellers—Firmer.
Barletta Rasso 62 1-2 lbs ...No sellers.
Do. Months—April.
Buyers &c.—Quiet.

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN.

South Australian ...33 3-4 unchgd
Do. Months—March-April.
Buyers &c.—Sellers.

SEEDS.

RAPESEED—
Yellow Gujrat, per 416 lbs, 85 p. c. ex-ship ...44—unchgd
Do. Months—April-May.
Do. Name of Ports—Dunkirk.—Sellers.
Yellow Cawnpore per 416 lbs., 85 p.c. ex-ship ...46 1-4
Do. Months—May-June.
Do. Name of Ports—Dunkirk.—Sellers.
Brown Cawnpore ...32 3-8+1-8
Do. Months—April-May.—Sellers.
Do. Name of Ports—Amsterdam.
Tone of Rapeseed—Quiet but steady.
LINSEED—
Bombay, per 416 lbs., ex-ship ...10 1-2+3-4
Do. Months—April-May.—Done.
Do. Name of Ports—Dunkirk.
Tone of Linseed—Quiet.
Linseed Argentine (La Plata) ...66+1-2
Do. Months—April-May.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.—Value.

MISCELLANEOUS.

COFFEE—
In New York Fair Rio (No. 7 quality)...12—unchgd
RUBBER—
Para Rubber ...5 6 1-2—Value. Very irregular.
METALS—
Copper Braziers £65 3-4
Yellow Metal ..... d 6
Standard Copper G M B..... £54 1-2
FREIGHT—
Coals :—Jardiff to Bombay Canal ...10s.
SUGAR—
German Granulated Sugar C & F India (Double bags) .. 13 6 1-4—Sellers.
Do. Months of Shipment...May-August.
Tone—Quiet but Steady.

Hungarian Crystals Sugar C & F India ...13 1 1-2—Nominal.
Do Months of Shipments ... April.
Tone—Quiet.
German Beet-root 88 o/o ...10 7 1-2—Sellers.
Months of Shipments ...May.
Tone—Steady but little doing.
E A R & Similar Crystals C & F India ...14 6 3-4—Sellers.
Months of Shipments ...April-August.
Tone—Small business at steady rates.
Mauritius Crystals C & F Calcutta and Bombay ...12 4 1-2—Value.
Months of Shipments ...April.
Tone—Quiet but steady.
Java Sugar—
General Tone Quiet but steady.

BOMBAY MARKETS.

THURSDAY EVENING.] [13th April 1911.

IMPORTS OF TREASURE.

Packages.	Value.	From	Importers
	Rs.		
9 Boxes Bullion..	6,14,400	London	Chartered Bank
1 Bundle Rs...	1,100	Porebunder	M Mackenzie & Co
1 do do...	1,000	Verawal	do
1 do do...	1,500	Gwadhur	do
1 do do...	1,500	Koweit	M H Dodusty
1 Case Sovs ...	10,500	Jeddah	The B & P S N Co
12 Pkgs do ...	49,050	do	Sundry Imports
Gold Coins ...	41,028	do	do
Rupees	6,590	do	do
4 Bundles Sovs	885	Busrah	do
Gold Coins ...	130	do	do
Rupees.....	7,545	do	do
62 Bars Silver..	1,21,407	London	Supt, P & O S N Co

EXPORTS OF BAR SILVER FROM BOMBAY BY RAIL ON 12th April, 1911.

By	Bars.	Ounces.
G. I. P. Railway ...	61	73,841
B. B. & C. I. Railway	40	47,057

Owing to the Easter Holidays our reports this week, are upto Thursday evening. The Banks and many of the markets will now remain closed until Tuesday the 18th inst.

FINANCIAL.

EXCHANGE :—
The market opened steady at 1s 4 1-16d T. T., 1s 4 3-32d Demand, and 1s 4 1-4d for 3 months' sight Credits. There has been little enquiry for Bank remittance. Private bills continue scarce. Far Eastern rates are steady.
We quote :—

T. T. on London	...1s. 4 1-16d.
Demand Draft	...1s. 4 3-32d.
Credits 3 months' sight	...1s. 4 1-4d.
Do. do forward	...1s. 4 3-16d. 23rd June
Do. do France	...171 1-4
Do. do Marks	...139
Hongkong 60 days' sight	...132 1-4
Shanghai "	...177 1-4
Japan "	...149 3-4

GOVERNMENT PAPER :—
The market opened at 96 3-16 for Cash and the Settlement. There has been little doing and prices close 1-16 lower as under.
We quote :—

Cash	... Rs.	96	2 0
Settlement ...	... "	96	2 0

BULLION :—
Yesterday Bar Silver in London closed 1-16 higher for ready at 24 9-16 and 1-8 higher for delivery in two months at 24 3-4. New York was 1-8 up at 53 1-4. The local market opened at 62 5-8 ex duty for ready and closes unchanged.
We quote :—

English Bar Gold ...	... Rs:	24	0 0
Australian " ...	... "	24	0 0
Sovereigns " ...	... "	15	0 0
Silver Ready ex-duty	... "	62	10 0
" 1st settlement	... "	62	11 0
" 2nd "	... "	62	10 0

COUNCIL BILLS :—
At the Weekly Biddings on Wednesday last for one crore, 19·20 lakhs were allotted in Bills at 1s. 4 1-16d., and 20·80 lakhs T. T. at 1s. 4 3-32d., tenderers receiving 11 per cent. The total amount sold during the week ending on Tuesday evening last was 106·40 lakhs, and for next week the amount to be allotted is one crore.
The steamer which left London on the 24th March and arrives to-morrow with the mail of the 31st March, brings £210,000 bar gold and £120,000 silver for Bombay, and the following Council Bills.

Calcutta	...Rs.	5,80,000
Bombay	... "	4,00,000
Madras	... "	1,10,000
Total...	... "	10,90,000

The steamer which left London on the 31st March and comes with the Mail of the 7th April brings £220,000 bar gold and £290,000 silver for Bombay, and the following Council Bills:—

Calcutta	...Rs.	5,70,000
Bombay	... "	5,30,000
Madras	... "	6,90,000
Total...	... "	17,90,000

The steamer which left London on the 7th April and comes with the mail of 14th April brings £180,000 bar gold and £100,000 silver for Bombay, and the following Council Bills :—

Calcutta	...Rs.	5,40,000
Bombay	... "	5,20,000
Madras	... "	8,70,000
Total...	... "	19,30,000

COTTON STATISTICS.

	Bales 1910-11.	Bales. 1909-10	Bales Difference
Receipts from 7th to 12th April	60,240	73,691	—13,951
Receipts from 1st Oct. to 12th April.	1,717,635	2,524,823	—807,188
Shipments from 7th to 12th April			
Europe ...	23,256	20,972	+ 2,284
China ...			
Japan ...	23,590	79,162	—55,582
Coast Ports ...			
Total...	45,838	100,134	—54,296
Total Shipments from 1st Oct. to 12th April			
Europe ...	568,397	742,732	—174,335
China ...	8,88c	80,515	— 71,627
Japan ...	356,163	609,317	—253,254
Coast Ports ...	25,99:	24,962	+ 1,037
Total...	959,857	1,456,567	—496,680
Afloat in Harbour—			
Europe ...	22,412	15,696	+ 6,717
China ...			
Japan ...	11,333	41,075	—29,742
Coast Ports ...			

Total exports from Bombay by G. I. P. Railway from 1st October to 12th Mar. 1911—6,126 bales.
Total exports from Bombay by B. B. & C. I. Railway from 1st Oct. to 31st Dec. 1910—2,036 bales.

The following is the Weekly Statement of the Bank of Bombay, for the last week, as compared with the previous one :—

LIABILITIES—	Increase. Rs.	Decrease. Rs.
Public Deposits	7,65,000	.....
Other Deposits.....	.....	27,32,000
Sundries	.....	2,000
ASSETS—		
Government Securities ...	.....	3,000
Other Authorized Securities	unchanged	
Credits on Govt. and other Authorized Securities...	.....	2,97,000
Loans on Govt. and other Authorized Securities ...	.....	36,68,000
Bills Discounted and Purchased	19,89,000	.....
Bullion	.....	44,000
Balance with other Banks.	1,09,000	.....
Sundries.....	37,000	.....
Cash	.....	12,000

EXPORTS.

COTTON.

MARKET REPORT :—
At the beginning of the week there was a steady advance in the Home markets and though there have been fluctuations since, there is an improvement on the week. This has been partly due to the continued falling off in receipts, but a better trade demand and the strength of the statistical position have also had their affect on the market. There is talk of a squeeze in New York for April, and bull speculators have been more in evidence, but profit taking has checked the upward movement. At the close the markets are steady as under.
The New York market will be closed on Friday and Saturday, and the Liverpool market on Friday, Saturday and Monday for the Easter Holidays.
The following are comparisons of prices in the Home markets as shown by the telegrams received here last Friday morning and to-day :—

New York—	Last week	This week	Difference.
Futures May ...	14·48	14·58	+10
" July ...	14·30	14·51	+21
Spot ...	14·60	14·65	+05
New Orleans—			
Futures May ...	14·47	14·61	+14
" July ...	14·48	14·68	+20
Spot ...	14 3-8	14 1-2	+1 8
Liverpool—			
Futures April-May	7·53	7 61	+08
" June-July	7·47	7·57	+10
" Oct.-Nov.	6·76	6·82	+06
Spot ...	7·79	7·89	+10

During the week our market has shown a decided improvement and a more cheerful tone has prevailed. The better feeling in the home markets checked, the downward course at the end of last week, and the continued advance on the other side at the beginning of the week brought out a more active demand, and induced sellers to make a stand. The result has been a rise of Rs. 9 to Rs. 12 in all contract rates. A fair business has been done in fine Broach, for April and May delivery, and buying orders from up-country for other descriptions have helped to sustain the market. The last day or two there has been a quieter feeling, but sellers are by no means plentiful.
Receipts into Bombay have been fairly large, but the falling off as compared with last year is to date 807,000 bales.

LATER.

The market closes quiet as under. Little business has been done to-day.
QUOTATIONS :—

OLD CROP.

Fine M G Broach	Rs.	349-50	April
Do do do	"	348	May
Do do Khandesh... ...	"	303	do
F G do do	"	296	do
Fine do Khamgaon-Akola...	"	319	do
Do do Bengals	"	301-5	do
Good Saw Ginned Dharwar...	"	348	do
Do H C Westerns	"	337	do
Do M G do	"	343	do

NEW CROP.

Good M G Broach ...	Rs.	305	March
Fully Good H G Bengals ...	"	243	January
Fine M G Bengal ...	"	268	"

LIVERPOOL OPENER :—

Opening Tone	...	Steady.
Estimated Sales	...	8,000 bales
Total Imports	...	2,000 "

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES :—

Apl.-May.	May-June.	June-July	July-Aug.
7·65 +04	7·65 +04	7·61 +04	7·57 +04

Aug.-Sept.	Sept.-Oct.	Oct.-Nov.	Nov.-Dec.	Dec.-Jan.
7·35 +05	7·01 +01	6·85 +03	6·81 +03	6·79 +03

FREIGHTS.

The market has been quiet and rates for forward months are somewhat easier, but for April shipment are firm owing to scarcity of tonnage, and owners being disinclined to accept the rates offering.
The following business is reported.
Dunkirk or Amsterdam ; 14s. 6d. May.
Hull; 13s. light seeds, May.
Antwerp and Dunkirk; 12s. 6d. light seeds, June.
Antwerp ; 13s. light seeds and about 2,000 tons seeds at 15s. and 15s. 6d. April.
Picked Ports ; May 14s. 6d., June 13s. 9d.
We quote :—

	April,		May.	June.
Antwerp ...	15s./6d.	s. 16s.	c. 14s./6d.	13s./9d.
Dunkirk ...	15s./6d.	s. 16s.	c. 14·/6d.	13s./9d.
Havre ...	16s.	s. 16s./6d.	c. 15s.	14s.
Hamburg ...	13s./6d.	s. 16s./6d.	c. 15s.	14s./3d.
Hull ...	13s./13 cwts		13s.	12s.
Liverpool ...	15s./6d.	s. 16s./6d.	c. 14s./6d.	14s.
London ...	P. & O.	16s.	15s.	Nil.
Marseilles ...	15s.	s. 15s./6d.	c. 14s./6d.	14s.
Genoa ...	15s./6d.	s. 16s./6d.	c. 15s.	14s.
Trieste ...	18s.	s. 2·8.	c. 17s./6d.s. 16s. s.	
Venice ...			18s./6d.c. 17s. c.	

The following steamers have been fixed during the week :—
S. S. "Magician" 14s. for May for Marseilles and Liverpool.
S. S. "Blakemoor" refixed, April at 19s. 6d. one 20s. two ports, 6d. extra for Dunkirk.

SEEDS AND WHEAT.

LINSEED :—
The market is firm with an upward tendency. Supplies are getting moderate, and shippers find difficulty in completing daily orders. When receipts fall off considerably, which sooner or late must be the case, we look for a sharp advance in prices. Crushers at home are already biginning to pay a fair premium on late summer deliveries.
We quote :—
Ready.....Rs. 12 1 0 to 12 2 0 B. T.
April-May.....Rs. 12 12 0 B. T.
RAPESEED :—
The market is unchanged with little doing. Prices are likely to remain stationary this month, but will probably harden during May. The sentiment of native dealers is bullish.
We quote :—
Brown Delhi Apr.-May... Rs. 6 14 6 B. T.
Yellow Guzerat Ready... Rs. 7 12 0 B. T.
GINGELLYSEED :—
The market has been quite during the week with a small business doing. Prices are unchanged.
We quote :—
Bold white 85 per cent..... Rs. 51 8 0
Mimbara ..... Rs. 53 0 0
Yellow Hinganghat..... Rs. 55 8 0
Red Jubbulpore..... Rs. 49 0 0
Black Kutni ..... Rs. 43 8 0
POPPYSEED :—
We have no change to report in this market, which has remained quiet but steady.
We quote :—
Ready.....Rs. 10 1 0 B.T.
April-May.....Rs. 10 12 0 R.T.
CASTORSEED :—
The market has ruled quiet but steady, and prices are unchanged.
We quote :—
Ready.....Rs. 34 0 0
Forward .....Rs. 7 1 0 R.T.
COTTONSEED :—
The market has been quiet during the week with little or no change.
We quote :—
Ready .....Rs. 23 0 0 to Rs. 24 0 0
MOWRASEED :—
Market quiet but steady,
We quote :—
July-August.....Rs. 6 13 0 R.T.
WHEAT :—
The market is steady. No important business has been put through.
We quote :—
White Delhi April-May...Rs. 4 12 0 R. T.

SIX DAYS' RECEIPTS.

The following are the receipts of Produce into Bombay during the 6 days ended at 6 p.m. on Wednesday:—

Cotton	60,240	bales.	
Wheat	58,193	cwts.	
Linseed	250,062	"	
Rapeseed	56,268	"	
Gingellyseed	6,001	"	
Poppyseed	7,520	"	
Groundnuts..	11,562	"	
Castorseed	64,029	"	
Rice	71,435	"	
Myrabollams.	28,307	"	
Cottonseed	70,057	"	
Mowraseed...	32	"	
Gram	20,160	"	
Joowar	5,719	"	
Maize	7,199	"	

Receipts of various growths of Cotton at Bombay to date compared with the corresponding periods of the previous season :—

....	Total for week	Total since 1st Oct. 1910.	Total same time last year.
	Bales.	Bales.	Bales.
Khandeish	6,805	355,394	413,029
Central India... ...	5,173	122,255	168,194
Barsee and Nagar ...	1,213	91,311	232,555
Berar	6,135	284,647	457,487
Central Provinces ...	3,788	121,696	277,411
Total Comras ...	23,113	975,333	1,585,676
Dholleras	8,228	121,817	140,208
Broach	18,005	131,002	198,480
Comptas and Dharwar.	5,630	49,810	66,644
Westerns	358	5,970	10,335
Bengals (N. W. Provinces)	530	287,553	396,590
Bengals (Rajputana)...	3,303	88,655	83,324
Sind	885	49,779	39,416
Persian	153	1,276	2,882
American	...	4,289	750
Egyptian	...	1,825	397
Other sorts	24	328	131
Total ...	60,240	1,717,635	3,524,823

STOCK OF COTTON IN BOMBAY.

	Bales.
Estimated Stock on 1st October 1910.	250,000
Receipts from 1st October, 1910 to 12th April, 1911	1,717,635
	1,967,635
Shipments from 1st October, 1910 to 12th April, 1911...	959,857
	1,007,748
Afloat	33,776
	973,972
Estimated mill consumption and up-country by rail...	414,222
Stock of Cotton in Bombay in all hands on 13th April, 1910 ...	559,750
Difference since last week	+ 12,946

IMPORTS.

PIECE-GOODS.

WHITE GOODS :—The demand continues to be retail in character. The wholesale up-country inquiry from Delhi and other Northern India centres is still holding off. Home prices are firm, and delivery is becoming more distant.
GREY GOODS.—There is a moderate business passing and bazaar rates are steady.
PRINTS AND DYED GOODS :—There is very little demand for ready goods so far, but buyers are trying to do some forward business in view of the expected rise in prices due to scarcity of cotton, and with an eye to meet the season's requirements.
TURKEY RED PLAIN GOODS :—The demand here is poor. The home markets continue firm and prices are rising.
TURKEY RED PRINTS:—The market here continues quiet. Prices at home are very steady.
DHOOTIES :—The demand here is poor. The home market is very firm and prices are advancing.

METALS.

COPPER AND YELLOW METAL:—There has been a slight decline in the home market and prices here are also about 2 annas per cwt easier.

PETROLEUM.

		per case
Snowflake Brand...150 °	American	Rs. 6 0 2
White Rose Brand...150 °	American	" 5 12 2
Chester Brand ... 75 °	Abel, A'can	" 4 12 2
Devoe's Brilliant ... 76 °	Abel, A'can	" 4 8 2
Monkey ...125 °	American	" 4 8 2
Elephant Brand		per 2 tins
Bulk in tins ...125 °		" 4 3 0
		per 8 Impl. gallons
Elephant Brand		
Bulk without tins.125 °		Rs. 3 9 0

Unsteady.
The following are the quotations for the Burmah Oil Company's productions :—
Ex Godown Price. Delivery Charges extra.

	Rs. a. p.
Kerosine Oil "Waterlily" per case of two tins	5 8 0
Kerosine Oil "Chukki" per two tins ...	4 0 0
Kerosine Oil "Chukker" per 8 gallons ...	3 0 0
Kerosine Oil "Victoria" per two tins ...	3 8 0
Kerosine Oil "Victoria" per 8 gallons ...	2 14 0
Burmah Wax per pound 1st quality ...	0 4 0
Burmah Wax per pound 2nd quality ...	0 3 0
Burmah Candles per pound	0 4 0

SHARES.

The market is quiet, especially for mill shares which have in some cases declined more or less with only small transactions reported. Bank of Bombay shares are in demand at Rs. 1,620 ; Bank of India's are reported to have changed hands at Rs. 64 ; Eastern Bank shares at Rs. 77 1-2 ; and Indian Specie Bank shares are at and about Rs. 50 3-4. A good lot of Bombay Merchant Bank shares were placed at Rs. 9 1-2 and Credit Bank shares are steady at Rs. 9. In Miscellaneous Companies, Alcock Ashdown are steady at Rs. 250 ; Bamankna's are quiet at Rs. 7 ; Badham Pile's have changed hands at Rs. 88 ; Bombay Burma Trading Corporation are quiet at Rs. 537 1-2 ; Bombay Electric Supply and Tramways Co, Ld., ordinary shares are unchanged at Rs. 129 and preference shares have improved to Rs. 170. Bombay Ice Manufacturing shares have improved to Rs. 20 C.D. ; Bombay Steam Navigation Company ordinary shares are steady at Rs. 820 and preference shares are unchanged at Rs. 285 ; Central India Mining Company shares have advanced to Rs. 30 1-4 ; Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Company's shares have improved to Rs. 285 C.D. ; Port Canning and Land Improvement Company shares are steady at Rs. 815; Shivrajpur's are at and about Rs. 16 1-4 ; Tata Iron and Steel Company ordinary shares are steady at Rs. 49, deffered shares at Rs. 85 and preference shares at Rs. 158 ; and Treacher's are steady at Rs. 517 1-2. Press shares are steady ; New Mofussils at Rs. 835; New Berars at 532 1-2; Indian Cotton at Rs. 133 3-4 ; and New Prince of Wales shares have changed hands at Rs. 650. In Mill Companies, Bombay United are steady at Rs. 295 ; Century Mill shares have changed hands at Rs. 165 ; Central India's have ruled at and about Rs. 1,640 ; Colaba Land and Mill Company, shares have improved to Rs. 1,090 ; Crescent's are quiet at Rs. 65 ; David's are unchanged at Rs. 367 1-2 X.D. ; Empress Mill shares have changed hands Rs. 181 1-4 ; Framjee Petit's have declared to Rs. 1,285 ; Finlay Mill shares have been put through at Rs. 222 1-2 X.D. ; Imperial's at Rs. 75 ; Jamshed's are steady at Rs. 142 1-3 C.D., Khattau Makanjee Mill shares are at Rs. 715 ; Kohinoor's are at and about Rs. 635; Leopold's have improved to Rs. 238; Luxmi Cotton are unchanged at Rs. 1,465 ; Maneckjee Petit's at Rs. 2,635 ; Morarjee Goculdas have advanced to Rs. 2,775 X.D. ; New Great Eastern's are steady at Rs. 162 1-2 C.D ; Sassoon S. and W. Company shares have advanced to Rs. 835 C. D. ; Sassoon Silk Mill shares have changed hands at Rs. 575 ; Standard's are quiet at Rs 885 X.D ; Sun Mill shares are steady at Rs. 70 ; Swadeshi's are quiet at Rs. 1,035 ; Vishnu Cotton Mill ordinary shares are unchanged at Rs. 525 and preference shares at Rs. 610. In Railway Companies, Ahmedabad-Prantej are reported to have changed hands at Rs. 615 ; Amritsar-Pattie's at Rs. 120 ; Ahmedabad-Dholkha's at Rs. 123 ; and Tapty Valley Railway shares at Rs. 475. The rest are unchanged at previous quotations.

When the steamer Palatina had to be reached recently on the south-east coast of Africa, after having struck a submerged object, was suggested in some quarters that what she had struck was the missing Blue Anchor liner, "Waratah." It is now reported that the Marine Court, which is inquiring into the loss at the "Palatina," discredits the suggestion.

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

THE Charge for Announcement of BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS and MEMORIAM NOTICES, which must be authenticated by the name and address of the sender is Rs. 2 for six lines or less, and 8 as. for every additional line. CASH strictly in ADVANCE.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

MARRIAGE.

HANKIN—GRAY—April 5, at St Andrew's Church, Ferozepore, by the Rev E J Warlow, Canon, Lahore Cathedral, assisted by the Rev. C. M. Becker, Chaplain, Ferozepore, Lieutenant David Lewis Hankin, 18th Native Infantry, only son of Lieutenant-General E Hankin, late Madras Staff Corps, and Mrs. Hankin, to Lilian Frances, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Borman Gray.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Banks Closed : Easter Holiday.
Mail steamer due at 5 a. m.
Good Friday, General Holiday, Sacred Concert at the Y. M. C. A., 9-15 p. m.

Maxim : "Wer die Leiter ersteigen will muss unten anfangen" ["He who would climb the ladder must begin at the bottom"]—GERMAN PROVERB.

POSTAL NOTICE.—A mail for Egypt and Europe, consisting of letters and packets, specially marked for transmission per Austrian Lloyd's s. s. "Praga," will be made up at the Bombay General Post Office for despach to destination at 2 p. m. to-morrow (Saturday.)—Letters, etc., for Aden and Berbera, will also be despatched by this steamer.—Mails for Seychelles, Zanzibar, Ibo, Chindi, Dare-Salaam, Tanga, Quilemane, Mozambique, Beira, Lourenco Marques and South Africa, per s. s. "Somali" will be closed at the General Post Office at 7 a.m. on Sunday, the 16th instant.

BAND AT THE BOMBAY GYMKHANA.—By kind permission of Lt.-Col. R. E. Pigott, V.D., and Officers, the Band of the 1st Battn. B.B. & C. I. Ry. Vols. will play the following programme under the direction of Mr. Geo. W. Salter, Bandmaster, commencing at 6-30 p.m. (S.T.) to-morrow evening :—

March .....Enquirer Club ....Brand
Overture.....Mirella .....Gounod
Valse .....Venus on Earth .....Lincke
Selection.....The Girl in the Train.....Fall
Dance .....Japanese .....Thomas
Selection.....My Lady Molly .....Jones
Patrol .....The Coons.....Letter

BAND AT THE COMMERCIAL GYMKHANA.—By kind permission of Lieut.-Colonel J. S. McNeill, V. D., and Officers, the Band of the 1st Battalion, G. I. P. Ry. Volunteers, will play the following programme of music, under the direction of Mr. A. Mallacdaine, Bandmaster, commencing at 6 p.m. to-morrow evening :—

March.....Myrella la Jolie.....Berniaux
Overture .....Die Irrfahet um's Gluck .Suppe
A Patrol .....Siamese .....Lincke
B Two Step ...Moonstruck.....Monckton
Grand Selection .....Reminiscences of All Nations.....Godfrey
Valse .....Phryne .....Zulueta
Selection .....The Chocotale Soldier ...Strauss
CharactePiece, The Uhlan's Call.....Eilenberg

ACCIDENT IN NEW DOCK.—On Wednesday afternoon, in the new Dock several labourers were sleeping under some stationery waggons, when an engine came along pushing some other waggons of it to join the stationery waggons. Some of the labourers on hearing the approach of the engine got clear away. Two of them, however, could not get away. One of them lay still and remained uninjured. The other man named Mangha Govind attempted to get out from beneath the truck when one of the wheels passed over his left arm crushing the bone above the elbow. He was removed to the G. T. Hospital where he has been detained for treatment.

THE EDULJEE FRAMJEE ALLBLESS LEPER HOME.—Dr. A. D'Monte, M.D., Honorary Secretary and Treasurer, begs to acknowledge with thanks, the receipt of the following donations during the year 1910:—The Executors and Trustees of the Estate of the late Mr. N. M. Wadia, C. I. E., Mr. Vithaldas Vanmalidas and his daughter Mahaluxmibai (second donation) each Rs. 250 ; the Trustees of the late Revd. Father Olympio de Souza, Rs. 200; Damoderdas Tapidas Charitable Fund Rs. 175 ; in memory of the late Mr. Dossabhoy Dadabhoy Allbless from his family, the late Revd. H. Pereira, Vicar of the Church of our Lady of the Rosary, Mazagon, Sir Hormusji Nowroji Mody, Kt. and in sacred memory of Dr. Cawas Lalkaka, each Rs. 100; in memory of the late Mr. Bhagvandas from his Executrix and Executors, Rs. 50; Dr. A. L. Nair of Messrs. N. Powell and Co, Rs. 40; Messrs. N. Powell & Co., for 1910, and Mr. G. C. Whitworth, I. C.S., each Rs. 30 ; Mr. Ratan J. Tata, Messrs. Gaddum and Co. Ld., Mr. Dinshaw D. Curranee amount subscribed in the Uthamna ceremony by his relatives in memory of his deceased daughter Bai Mithibai, wife of Mr. Cowasji Nusserwanji Karanjna and the Hon'ble Khan Bahadur Nawroji Pestonji Vakil, C. I. E., each Rs. 25 ; Hormusji Edalji Cama Charity, and Framjee Muncherjee Cama Charity each Rs 20; F. R. W., Mrs. Manordas Tribhovandas Varjeevandas in memory of Bai Kamlabai, Mr. P. H. Patuck and Messrs. Dinshawjee Bhikhajee Khan and Co., each Rs. 15 ; Mr. E. F. Allum, H. G., the Hon'ble Mr. H. R. Greaves, Mr. Septimus E. Greaves, Mr. Dady L. Bottleboye, O. G. O., E. F., N., Mr. Mulraj Khatau, Mr. Bomonjee Dinshaw Petit, Sir Dorabjee Jamsetjee Tata, Kt., Mr. J. E. B. Hotson, I.C.S., Mr. Bapooji Dorabji Daruvalla, Mr. Dharamsey Morarjee Goculdas, E. R. R., Bai Heerabai Jamsetjee Petit, Mr. W. A. Chambers, S. L., Mr J. A. H. Chinoy, Mr. K. A. Chinoy, Trustees of the late Mr. Sorabjee Maneckjee Setna Charity Fund, Russo-

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

The steamer Dunbarmoor 2,331 tons, Captain O. G. Owens, arrived in Bombay harbour on Thursday from Barry March 9, with a cargo of coal.

The Clan Line steamer Clan McDougall, 2,976 tons, Captain R. Sterling, arrived in Bombay harbour on Thursday from Mauritius April 1, with a cargo of sugar and passengers.

The steamer Armenia, 3,386 tons Captain H. Rohde sailed on Friday, for Hamburg and Bremen via Karachi with a general and same bottom cargo.

The Rubattino Line steamer R. Rubattino, 2,681, tons, Captain L Mancini, will sail to-day for Genoa with a general cargo and passengers.

The Anchor Line steamer Circassia, 4,326 tons, Captain C J Osborne, will sail to-day for Liverpool and Marseilles with a general cargo and passengers.

ARRIVALS.

Apl.	Vessels.	Commanders.	From
13	Dunbarmoor	Owens	Barry, Mar 9
	Clan Macdougall.	Sterling	Mauritius, Apr 1

DEPARTURES.

Apl.	Vessels.	Commanders.	Destination.
13	Bodlewell.....	Smiles	Antwerp
	Dumra	Manley.....	Persian Gulf via Karachi
	Dumbea	Rebufat	Marseilles, &c
	Scirstad	Larsen	Tuticorin
14	Aimonia	Rohde	H'burg & B'men via Karschi
15	R Rubattino	Mancini	Genoa
	Circassia	Osborne	L'pool& M'seilles

The following vessels began to load on Thursday :—
Steamer Gosipara for Calcutta.
" Dwarka for Persian Gulf.

MADRAS.
ARRIVALS.

April	Vessels.	From
5	Helias	Bangkok
10	Thongwa	Straits
9	Blackwell	London
9	Norfolk	Calcutta
10	Waltuma	Antwerp
11	Lawada	Calcutta
11	Coconada	Rangoon
11	Palamcotta	Negapatam
11	Clan Murray	Liverpool

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Alpine left Liverpool on the morning of 13th and the same steamer Clan Stuart left Suez on the morning of the 12th.

The B I S N Co's steamer Mombassa passed Lisbon on the morning of the 13th and the same Co's steamer Chupra arrived at Port Said on the afternoon of the 12th.

DAILY EXPORTS—APRIL 13.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Scindia s—1,360 cwts till cake Sorabji Pestonji and Co.

Circassia s—300 bales cotton, M Umersey and Co ; 18 tons, feakscanthugs H Hassam.

FOR LONDON.

Mantua s—144 bales hemp, T Morrison and Co ; 346 cwts condiments, M Poonjiaji and Sons ; 4 bales carpets H G H Mahmud and Sons ; 300 bales hemp, M Nathoobhoy and Co ; 520 cwts myrabollams, Arjoon Khimji ; 20 bales carpets, King King and Co ; 36 cwts bees wax, Jahanmahmad Rehemtulh ; 2,000 cwts linseed; 5,160 cwts castorseed, Ralli Bros ; 382 bales hemp, H Govindji ; 180 cwts turmeric E Sooltanally; 41 cwts fishmaws M J Jummabhoy and Co ; 24 cwts chutney, M Poonjiaji and Sons ; 39 cwts fishmaws, M J Joomabhoy and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Circassia s—4,000 gingellyseed, Louis Dreyfus and Co.

Scindia s—5,940 cwts wheat, John Fachiri ; 6 tons feakscanthugs H Hassam.

FOR HULL.

Blakemoor s—4,640 cwts cottonseed and 2,000 cwts castorseed, Sanday and Co: 7,512 cwts myrabollams, E Omersey 2,000 cwts linseed and 2,000 cwts castorseed, Ralli Bros ; 5,000 cwts cottonseed, L Pragji, 482 cwts cottonseed, Parikh Bros and Co.

Arisdni Christine s—312 cwts castorseed, Ralli Bros ; 4,178 cwts cottonseed, M Rambhayat, 8,625 cwts cottonseed, Khimji Kasewji and Co; 6,025 cwts cottonseed, A Khimji.

FOR ANTWERP.

Torrington s—1,284 cwts myrabollams, E Omersey 350 bales hemp E Omersey, 32,000 cwts linseed L Dreyfus and Co.

Chanda s—660 bales cotton, E Spinner and Co; 6,000 cwts bones pieces Croft and Mody and Co 381 bales hemp, H Govindji 7,000 cwts linseed Ralli Bros ; 440 bales cotton, Volkart Bros 550 bales cotton Bombay Co.

FOR HAMBURG.

Armenia s—7 cases aniline dye, Volkart Bros.

Wartenfels s—330 bales cotton, A Moritz and Co ; 250 cwts gum, Moosabhoy Jaforbhoy: 147 cwts bees-wax, A Noorbhoy and Co ; 100 cwts gum olibulmo, Jamnadas Narbharam and Co ; 2,010 cwts poppyseed, Parikh Bros and Co ; 700 bales cotton P. Vishram and Co ; 16,000 cwts linseed Louis Dreyfus and Co ; 550 bales cotton Bombay Company 770 bales cotton A Blascheck and Co ; 3,040 cwts myrabollams Khimji Keshavji 435 bales cotton Volkart Bros 16,000 cwts linseed Ralli Bros 100 bales cotton-fly Heerjee Assoo.

FOR DUNKIRK.

Blakemoor s—1,096 cwts poppyseed, Ralli Bros ; 51 bales cotton, Ralli Bros ; 550 bales cotton, The Bombay and Co.

Haigh Hall s—3,000 cwts linseed K Devchand and Co.

FOR BREMAN.

Wartenfels s—226 bales cotton, Ralli Bros.

FOR PHILADELPHIA.

Scindia s—500 casks skins, Enrico N Stein.

Scindia s—150 casks goat skins, C J Mathews and Co.

FOR GENOA.

Countess Warwick s—4,000 cwts linseed. and 5,000 cwts rapeseed, Ralli Bros : 10 000 cwts gingellyseed, L Dreyfus and Co ; 4,000 cwts linseed 4,000 cwts rapeseed 1,204 cwts castorseed, 500 cwts poppyseed. Kiluchand Devchand and Co ; 250 bales cotton, H Goculdas and Co ; 100 bales cotton, A Moritz and Co.

FOR LEGHORN.

Countess Warwick s—12,000 cwts linseed and 10,000 cwts rapeseed L Dreyfus and Co.

FOR TRIESTE.

Praga s—55 bales cotton, Volkart Bros.

Gerania s—662 cwts myrabolams, P Jaithabhoy ; 110 bales cotton, Maneckji Jathabhoy and Co ; 2 bales cotton, A Blascheck and Co ; 1,000 cwts gingellyseed, John Fachiri.

FOR VENICE.

Gerania s—200 bales cotton, Forbes Forbes Cambells and Co ; 200 bales cotton, Gaddam and Co.

FOR HONGKONG.

Hakata Maru s—500 bales twist, S J David & Co; 52 bales twist, S J David Sassoon and Co.

Capri s—97 cwts raisins 36 cwts kismis 14 cwts angoor K Hunsraj and Co. 119 cwts sharkfins and 6 1-4 cwts fishmaws, F A Mooraj.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Hakata Maru s—300 bales cotton, Tata Sons and Co; 200 bales twist M M Essabhoy; 162 bales twist, David Sassoon and Co.

FOR KOBE.

Hakata Maru s—1,750 bales cotton, Ralli Bros ; 250 bales cotton, A Moritz and Co; 500 bales cotton, M M Essabhoy 100 bales cotton, Breul and Co.

FOR MOJI.

Hakata Maru s—1,000 bales cotton, Ralli Bros.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

Hakata Maru s—200 bales cotton, Breul and Co.

The excavations recently conducted by Mr. A. Rea, Superintendent, Archæological Department, in Ramathirtam, in the Vizagapatam District, have resulted in some Buddhist stupas and dagobas being unearthed.

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HIGH COURT.
O. O. C. J.
Suit No. 83 of 1910.

Cassum Haji Joosab .....Plaintiff
vs.
Currimbhai Ramji and others.....Defendants.

Under instructions from Messrs. Jamsetji, Rusji and Davidas, Attorneys for the Mortgagees, Messrs. Crushna Fatta and Co., and on account and at the risk of the mortgagors Khoja Karrimbhai Ramji and Khoja Lowji Keshawji, under and virtue of the power of sale given under the several indentures of mortgage, dated respectively the 31st day of July 1905, the 30th day of April, 1906, and 2nd day of November, 1907, and pursuant to the decree in suit No. 83 of 1910, dated the 14th day of July 1910, hereafter referred to Messrs. SORABJI COWASJI and Co., Auctioneers, will sell the undermentioned properties, on the premises, on the undermentioned days at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.).

Lot No. 3.

Sale of Elphinstone Road Property, on MONDAY, the 17th day of April, 1911, at 4-30 p.m. (S T.)

Lot No. 3 and 4 will be sold together.

PARTICULARS OF PROPERTY.

Firstly.—All that piece or parcel of Government Foras land or ground, containing by admeasurement 6585 square yards or thereabouts, together with all messuages, tenement or buildings standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Elphinstone Road outside the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay, and assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 78-78-208 208, 209-209-221-221, and New Nos. A-11977,11978, and New Survey Nos. 3-1923, 4-1924, and assessed by the Municipality of Bombay under G Ward No. 3499 (1), 3502, 3515 and Street Nos. 963, 966, 978, Ward Nos. 3499 (2), Street No. 963 A, Ward No. 3499 (3), and Street No. 963, B Ward No. 3503 (1), and Street No. 967, and bounded as follows, i.e. :—On or towards the east by the property of Radhabai, widow of Shantaram Narayan, on or towards the west by a water passage, on or towards the north by the property of Radhabai. widow of Shantaram Narayan, and on or towards the south by the Public Passage.

Lot No. 4.

PARTICULARS OF PROPERTY.

Secondly.—All that piece or parcel of Government foras land or ground, containing by admeasurement 1,230 square yards or thereabouts together with all messuages, tenement or buildings standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Elphinstone side of Road, outside the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay and assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 49,51,88 and New No. A/11934, 12849, and New Survey No. 1B/1927, 1C/1927, and assessed by the Municipality of Bombay, under G, Ward Nos. 3503, (2), and Street No. 957 A, Ward No. 3503 (3), and Street No. 967B, and bounded as follows, i.e.:—On or towards the East by a water passage, on or towards the West by the Tulsi Water pipe, on or towards the North by the property of Kasinath Vithoba and on or towards the South by the Public passage, and all aforesaid 4 properties were formerly in the occupation of the tenants of the mortgagors, Carimbhoy Ramji and Lowji Kessowji, and are now in the occupation of the tenants of R. D. Sethna, Esquire, Receiver, appointed by the High Court of Bombay, in Suit No. 83 of 1910, under an order, dated the 24th day of November, 1910.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, application may be made to Messrs. Jamsetji, Rustomji and Davidas, Attorneys for the Receiver at their office No. 5, Bell Lane, Fort, Bombay, or to undersigned Auctioneers.

SALE OF VALUABLE IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY, situate at 1st Memonwada Street or Memonwada, out of Fort, Bombay.

Under instructions from and by the order of Messrs. Shamrao, Minocher and Hiralal, Attorneys for the surviving mortgagee Mr. Narotamdas Hurjiwandas, and on account and at the risk of the heirs and legal representatives of the late Rahimtoola Husan Miya, the deceased mortgagor, and in pursuant to the power, of the sale reserved to the mortgagee under an indenture of mortgage bearing date the 21st day of April, 1909, and made between the said Rahimtoola Husan Miya (since deceased), of the one part and Harjiwan Narondas (since deceased) and the said Narotumdas Harijiwandas of the other part, SORABJEE COWASJEE, Auctioneers, will on TUESDAY, the 18th day of April, 1911, sell by Public Auction, the undermentioned property, on the premises, at 5 o'clock (S. T.), in the afternoon.

PARTICULARS OF PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of fazendari land or ground, containing by admeasurement 107 square yards or thereabouts, together with all messuages, tenement or buildings standing thereon, situate lying and being on the eastern side of 1st Memonwada Street or Memonwada, outside the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay and assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 109 and assessed by the Municipality of Bombay formerly under No. 103, and now under Ward No. 615 (1) and Street Nos. 361-363, and bounded as follows, i. e. :—On or towards the east by a sweeper's passage, on or towards the west by the aforesaid Memonwada Street, on or towards the north by the Memonwada Musjid or Mosque and on or towards the south by the property of Haji Fateh Mahomed Rahimtoola.

For further particulars and conditions of sale application may be made to Messrs. Shamrao, Minocher and Hiralal, Attorneys for the said surviving mortgagee, at their office Meadow Street, Fort, Bombay, or to the undersigned Auctioneers,

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NOTICE.

LETTERS, PARCELS and TELEGRAMS for HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, HER EXCELLENCY LADY CLARKE, and the PERSONAL STAFF, which cannot be delivered at GOVERNMENT HOUSE, MALABAR POINT, BOMBAY, by 2 p.m. on 15th April, 1911, should be sent to GOVERNMENT HOUSE, GANESHKHIND, up to 8 a.m. on 17th April, 1911, and after that to GOVERNMENT HOUSE, MAHABLESHWAR.

ERIC DRUMMOND, Captain,
for Military Secretary to
His Excellency the Governor.

Bombay, Dated 5th April, 1911.

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Friday, 14th April, 1911.

THE REFERENDUM IN AUSTRALIA.

THE Canadian surplus of six millions which was recently announced may well excite the envy of the younger nation in the Antipodes, whose population is practically at a standstill owing to its restrictive immigration laws, and all whose spare funds are pledged to the military and naval expansion so necessary for the protection of its thousands of miles of coast line. For years to come the Australians are unlikely to have any surplus for disposal unless the unification scheme, upon which the Socialists are concentrating their energies, fructifies and the revenues of the six Colonies pass under Federal Control, a prospect that would give the Caucus some five and thirty millions of income for the application of its ideals, instead of the twelve with which it has at present to rest content. But apart from the financial aspect there is one point in the situation that must command the admiration of the rest of the empire, and that is the patriotic devotion of the four and a half millions of the Commonwealth to the national defence schemes and the determination that whatever else occurs there shall be no obstacles, political or otherwise, to their conversion into an armed nation capable of defending their own rights and of giving valuable assistance to Great Britain if the millennium projected by Sir Edward Grey and Mr. Taft fails to reach a tangible standard. The Australian army, which will eventually be a quarter of a million strong, is already in process of evolution in all the six Colonies upon the lines laid down by Lord Kitchener, whose scheme was accepted in its entirety by the Labourite Government. And Admiral Henderson's propositions for the creation and manning of a Navy had scarcely been made public when it was decided that they should be acted upon, and shipbuilding contracts have been placed in England and Sydney which will soon enable the people to visualise some of the units of a fleet that will place Australia among the marine powers of the world. In these respects the Commonwealth is an object-lesson to the rest of the Empire, for her adoption of compulsory service, which is being imitated by South Africa, is an example that Great Britain must follow, unless her people desire to court the disaster predicted by Lord Roberts and those who recognise the wisdom of his advice.

But, although Australia is consolidated in the question of its national defences and is cheerfully willing to bear the burdens they symbolise, the domestic politics of the Commonwealth are in as great a tumult as those of the mother country and for practically similar reasons. For Mr. Fisher and the caucus, like their prototypes at Home, are seeking to overturn the Constitution for party purposes, and with the object of introducing innovations not contemplated when the Federal Charter was accepted by the six partners a decade ago. They have no quarrel with their upper house and do not preach its perdition like the British Radicals tilting at the Lords, because the Senate merely echoes the wishes of Parliament and never uses the Veto with which it is equipped for blocking or amending unpopular measures. This has been its attitude since its creation, but the situation has become more conspicuous since the Labourites captured two-thirds of its seats and made the will of the Caucus paramount in its procedure. There is, therefore, no agitation for a one Chamber Government in Australia as for all-practical purposes that has been already achieved under the conditions just stated and while England is still divided upon the subject of referenda to the electors upon Constitutional questions, the Australians are applying this principle as means of obtaining popular decisions in matters affecting the welfare of the Colonies. But just as the proposals of the Asquith Cabinet aim at producing a situation which shall give them unlimited control in Home affairs, the Caucus and its adherents are seeking to acquire a similar dominancy in the Federation, under the pretext that unification is the best safeguard for national interests, under the beneficent autocracy of the proletariat.

The Australian papers received by each mail are full of instructive comments and speeches upon a situation which is as absorbing to its people as the anti-Lords propaganda and its resultant complications are to the British electorate. The referendum was applied for the first time in Commonwealth history last year as a means of eliciting a popular decision upon two matters which the Central Government were not authorised to move unless the majority of the voters accepted their view. On that occasion, the reference synchronised with a general election, but the appeal which is to be decided a fortnight hence is limited to the questions of Federal arbitration and the nationalising of industries, which require revision of the Constitution before the measures contemplated for their introduction can be legalised. In previous articles we have described the scope of these measures and their probable economic results, so there is no need to go over the ground again. But the point which emerges with considerable clearness from the discussions now proceeding in Australia is a well-grounded anxiety that the Labourites are using the matters under reference as a preface for larger ambitions, and that presently the referendum will be applied for the purpose of ascertaining the wishes of the electorate on the question of unification, an ideal which captured Mr. Fisher's imagination during his recent visit to South Africa, where he witnessed some other results of its application. The Labourites protest that for the present they have no such intention, but in view of their leaders' recent utterances on these advantages of a consolidated people, these assurance are received with suspicion and the most vehement appeals are being addressed to the voters to reject proposals which are the stepping stones to that closer union which each Colony dreads, especially if it is to be accomplished under Socialist influences. "These suggested alterations will destroy the Constitution and will put the axe at the root of the State trees. The poll of April the 26th will virtually decide the political fate of Australia as a series of separate States. And some of the predictions of the speakers and writers who are now thoroughly alive to the coming dangers, hope to avert the worst of them by passionate exhortations to the holders of the ballot boxes. To an unprejudiced onlooker this remarkable trepidation of the prospect of unification is not comprehensible because, according to all historical precedent, it must come at some period of Australian history, when State interest and personal industries must give way to the greater problem of nationality as already visualised in Canada and South Africa. But however this may be the present Australian feeling is strongly in favour of the maintenance of its autonomous States, and the patriotic associations which centre around their independent governments are not prepared to exchange these realities for the dubious advantages of Federal Control under the Caucus and its cohorts. If the latter succeed in carrying the present referendum their victory will inevitably be followed by fresh attacks upon the Constitution with the object of demoralizing the States and opening the way to a union like the South African combination, and it is this prospect that has aroused the present political tumult and may lead to curious developments, for secession has already been suggested by some local patriots as a solution to the difficulty, and if this were put into practice there would be an immediate collapse of the Commonwealth.

THE WINE RIOTS.

THE extraordinary events which Reuter reports from Southern France, arising out of one of the most remarkable industrial disputes of modern times, are not without precedent. The wine-growers of Southern France are people with quick and fiery tempers, and the scenes which have been taking place are a repetition of those of the "wine war" in Narbonne in 1907. That was repressed by M. Clemenceau, who must now be interestedly watching what measures, M. Monis, recently called to office, may deem it fit to take. The present Premier, however, has a different situation to deal with, for similar as has been their action, the causes of the two outbreaks have been widely different. The riots of 1907 were due to the acute distress which followed a failure of the vintage. This present outbreak is due to the decision of the Government, that wine produced in the department of Aube, which is much inferior to that of the Marne, shall not be entitled to the description of champagne. Vine-growers in the neighbourhood of Rheims and in the Marne valley, between Chalons and Chateau-Thierry, maintain that they alone produce the genuine champagne wine. Parliament and the Government have upheld their point of view by the Champagne Delimitation Bill. But the inhabitants of the Aube, who grow an excellent white wine which has found a good market as Champagne wine, complain that the new limitation threatens them with famine, and contend that, as inhabitants of part of the former province of Champagne, they have just as much right to the advantage of the name as the inhabitants of the Marne. They are now agitating for inclusion within the geographical limitation for the new Champagne province, and not only have such scenes of violence been committed as those which Reuter's cable describes, but local public bodies have joined in the agitation with a kind of passive resistance. While peasants and small holders have refused to pay their taxes, mayors and municipal councils have refused to carry out their duties. Meanwhile, the people of the Marne, at Rheims and Epernay, are conducting an equally violent campaign, urging Government not to depart from the decision which they have already made. M. Monis is said to be much perplexed, and it is believed that in view of the possibility of the spread of rioting, he is anxious to try to settle the affair by a compromise. He is inclined, it is said, to allow the Aube wine-growers to describe their wine as champagne with the addition of words indicating its origin such as "Barle-sur-Aube" or "Colombey-le-Sec." Unfortunately, neither side at present shows any disposition to accept such an arrangement and it is quite possible that the renewal of violence in the department of the Marne is due to some attempt to put it into effect.

IRRIGATION IN GUJERAT AND THE DECCAN.

AN interesting return, which has just been issued by the Bombay Government, describes the progress made with various new irrigational works in Gujerat and the Deccan during 1909-10, a year which was "one of successful irrigation within the limits possible to the works." Principal activity appears to be in the Central Division, where there are situated the largest irrigation works in the Presidency, excluding Sind. The Nira and Mutha Canals have large storage works amongst the ghat hills at Lake Whiting near Bhor and Lake Fife near Poona, and the assured storage here is mainly devoted to sugarcane cultivation. The crops obtained are exceedingly good. A feature of the year was the completion of the erection of the automatic gates on the waste weir of Waghad Tank, supplying the Kadva river works, and the commencement of irrigation from Chankapur Tank. Chankapur Tank is formed by a fine masonary dam on the Girna in the north of Nasik, the water being let down the river for a few miles and picked up again by a long low masonry weir. It supplies a canal on the left bank of the Girna and also several old bandharas or weirs with short canals. Waghad Tank is formed by a high earthen embankment, and the supply is much less than the demand, but the addition now of automatic gates to the waste weir will add considerably to the volume stored and will enable some sugarcane to be grown with confidence. Among the Godaveri works, much progress was made at Nandgaon, for the storage tank on the Darna River between Igatpuri and Nasik, and a commencement was also made with the important Pravara Project. The storage for this will be formed at Bhandardara, near the source of the river, by a great masonry dam 250 feet high. The country is very rocky and steep and lies at the southern base of the great hill of Kalsubai—the highest in the Deccan, and the great height of the dam is necessary to obtain sufficient storage. The lake bed being steep and rocky, submerging the lands does very little damage ; the cost of masonry is the chief item in the works. Preparations to commence this great dam were made during the year, and as the Godaveri works on the other side of the range of hills are completed, the plant and labour were moved to Bhandardara. In the Southern Division, the principal works are the Krishna Canal in the Satara District, and the Gokak Canal in Belgaum, while there are twelve smaller works. Most of these depend on the local rainfall, and during the year under report were very useful, as the rainfall was heavy during the early part of the year. In the Northern Division, the principal measure was the amalgamation of the Hathmati and Khari Cut Canals. These were very successful during the year, the area irrigated 21,398 acres and the gross assessed revenue Rs. 1,00,085 constituting records. The whole area irrigated during the year in the Presidency was nearly 150,000 acres and the revenue over eleven lakhs, while the amount of progress in regard to new works shows, we think, that Government is fully meeting its responsibilities in this important matter.

THE total subscription to All India King Edward Memorial Fund now amounts to Rs. 4,40,610.

THE P. and O. Company's s. s. "Caledonia," with the homeward mails of the 8th instant, arrived at Aden, at 7 p. m., yesterday.

THE P. and O. Company's s. s. "Arabia," with the outward mails of the 7th instant, passed Suez, at 11 p. m. yesterday.

THE Hon'ble Mr. W. H. Clark, Member for Commerce and Industry, arrived in Simla from his tour on Tuesday and has taken up his official residence at "The Mythee."

DURING the week ending Tuesday, April 11, forty-three chests of opium were removed from the Government Warehouse, Bombay. These were shipped by the s. s. "Delta" to China.

THE Chief Magistrate of Calcutta, yesterday, committed sixteen men, including two Kabulis, to the Sessions for committing a dacoity during the late Bakr-id Riot in Calcutta.

A GENERAL meeting of the Simla Volunteer Rifle Corps will be held in the Ball Room of the Town Hall on Tuesday next, the 18th instant.

ON Wednesday next, the Chief Justice at Calcutta will deliver judgment in the Howrah Gang Case, and Justices Woodroffe and Carnduff will hear the reference in the Dacca Shooting Case.

ALTHOUGH no official information has yet reached Simla as to the constitution of His Majesty the King's suite during the Durbar, it is highly probable that Major Clive Wigram will accompany His Majesty, and it is not improbable that Lady Eva Dugdale will attend Her Majesty the Queen.

IT appears that the original report from Poona, ascribing the disastrous fire at Salombre to a defect in a Kitson lamp was inaccurate. The Indian agents of the Kitson Light Company have sent a representative to Salombre, to investigate the statement, and he has found that none of the lamps in the building where the outbreak occurred are those of the Kitson Company. The lamp, the defect in which caused it to flare and set the place on fire, was a country-made lamp, and these bazaar-made petroleum pressure lamps are in no way connected with the genuine Kitson lamps, which are manufactured in England. The fact that the disaster arose from the use of inferior made pressure lamps should be a warning to the public of the serious risk they run in using these bazaar productions.

WOMEN'S INTERESTS.

(FROM OUR LADY CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, MARCH 24.

ALL-BRITISH SHOPPING.

On Monday, March 27, will commence six days of All-British shopping. A walk through one of the big furnishing emporiums will prove that there is hardly a single item required in the furnishing of a house which is not made at the same or a lower price in this country and of a quality equal, if not superior, to goods manufactured abroad. A not inconsiderable part of the raw material is grown within the Empire, and a bed-room suite, made in London, of Australian black bean will convince everybody of the suitability of the wood for the purpose. In the furnishing fabric section, a great feature is being made of old-fashioned English wool damasks, many of which are printed from original blocks used over a century ago near London. Old-English glazed chintzes for loose covers, also printed a few miles from the metropolis, plain taffetas for loose covers or curtains in many colourings made in Dundee, and plain linen for casement cloths produced in Bradford will strike the shopper as superior to anything the foreigner can offer at the same reasonable figure. There are some fine examples of Indian workmanship, particularly a Jacobean curtain suitable for old rooms or four-post bedsteads which are printed in India on cloth exported from Manchester. All the windows are to be decorated on a red, white and blue colour scheme and the public will have their attention drawn to the All-British Week not only by the posters used by every trader taking up the scheme, but by the special designs of the firm.

WOMAN AS LEGISLATOR.

There was an interesting scene in the Storthing on Wednesday, when Mlle. Anne Rogstad took her seat in the House for the first time in the place of M. Bratlie, who will be absent for a fortnight. It must be mentioned that the electoral laws of Norway contain the peculiar provision that at the election of a deputy another person is chosen to represent him in the event of his being unable to attend to his parliamentary duties, and this choice fell upon Mlle. Rogstad in one of the constituencies at the recent elections. The President of the Storthing welcomed Mlle. Rogstad, remarking that this was a memorable day in the history of Norway, and the Premier and others also delivered short speeches suitable to the occasion. Mlle. Rogstad was the recipient of a large number of congratulatory telegrams and gifts of flowers.

EVENING DRESS.

For many years past there has been in force in the London theatre world a custom which has operated with all the force of a law ; unwritten but none the less powerful. London is the only city in the world in which all the people who patronise the chief seats of the theatre are well dressed. In Paris, Vienna, Berlin, or New York theatre-goers are not so particular. Who has not had the experience in Paris of sitting next to a tourist just arrived from Switzerland with the dust of travelling on his Harris tweeds? To the ordinary person of well-regulated mind the presence of such an anomaly is an affront, and the prospect of any relaxation in the wholesome rule which insists on evening dress in the stalls in English theatres will be regarded with regret. Sir Herbert Tree says, "What's the good of quarrelling with the self-evident?" "What we want to do is to popularise the theatre. We want to see people in it. We must get away from the snobbishness of a white tie. No doubt some day in the future a costume will be evolved which will be suitable for both morning and evening wear. In the meantime, I would rather see my stalls filled with people wearing sailor's knots than not at all."

VISITORS.

One really wonder where London is going to house all her visitors, I was talking to a Canadian the other day, who told me that besides the ordinary visitors, whole Associations are coming to London. The British Home-going Association 1,200 strong sail on May 18. Another party will be made up of "Daughters of the Empire," all of whom belong to the widely spread Canadian organisation of that name, who are coming over to take part in the National Council of Women in London and are so large a number that they will require two steamers. These are the only two Associations from one country, imagine visitors pouring in from every other country in the same numbers.

FASHIONS.

The fashion of the "hobble" skirt is certainly on the wane. For among models recently displayed even the short skirt of the "costume tailleur," in which this particular mode has been most persistent, shows a tendency to become definitely wider. At the same time the straight effect is undoubtedly to be maintained, at least during the coming weeks of spring, but this effect will be cunningly produced by the cut of the skirt and the arrangement of its panels and pleats. Again the short coat and the bolero will emphasize the straight silhouette, and particularly is this the case with the bolero. The latter will probably have little vogue before the cold weather is over, but undoubtedly it is a mode to be expected in the late spring. Sometimes it will be cut sufficiently short to show the waist, at others it will just reach to the hips. But it will invariably emphasize that straight effect which the Parisienne hailed with delight in 1907, which also she seems little inclined as yet to relinquish. There are models where this straightness is so emphasized that the lines of the figure are almost entirely obliterated. But though this results in extremely artistic effects when worn by her who has a pretty slim roundness of figure it should be avoided by all others. In the same way the high waist-line should not be adopted indiscriminately, though it is a charming mode when it happens to be becoming, and it may certainly be expected to remain fashionable until the modes entirely change.

DRESSES AT DRURY LANE.

Madame Paquin has invented some wonderful gowns for Mrs. Langtry (Lady de Bathe) to wear in the revival of "Sins of Society" at Drury Lane "in the first act the famous actress will wear an afternoon dress of spring blue—a perfect harmony with her violet eyes. In the same act, and evening dress of emerald green, black, and silver. At Longchamp, in the second act, I have chosen a dress of ivory lace, and for the country a simple dress of turquoise blue and white striped muslin. In the garden of her villa her home dress is in black and white, in the form of a black mousseline wrap almost hiding a white under-dress. Later, a royal blue mantle, with large collar and cuffs of black velvet, and for the marriage scene a dress of old rose." Mme. Paquin was vehement in denunciation of the harem skirt. "In all the gowns for Lady de Bathe you see there is nothing at all approaching it. In Paris this fancy was invented, but it has not had a long life, and is almost ancient history. So awkward and ungraceful are these garments that even when a woman is pretty she losses all feminine charm, looks vulgar and undignified, and not at all calculated to inspire that respect which is due to her sex."

SIDE-SADDLE OR CROSS-SADDLE ?

Should women ride astride? This is a question so often asked at the present day, and so hard to answer. Everything has its for and against, and not the least has cross-saddle riding for women its admirers and its detractors. This style of riding was first adventured by some go-ahead ladies in the Row about fifteen years ago, but the time was not then ripe for so startling a change in the feminine riding world, and the new idea did not "catch on." At the present day it is no longer matter for wonder to see a woman astride, and so elaborately masculine is the attire of some that at a little distance it is hard to determine whether the rider belongs to the fairer on to the sterner sex. Advocates of the cross-saddle style argue that it offers a much safer and stronger seat, since if the horse should come down the rider can fall clear and runs no risk of being hung up, and clearly, in the event of a horse's rolling on the rider, the absence of pommels must mitigate the risk of her being frightfully crushed, as, with her delicate mechanism, she is pretty well bound to be. But in the present day, when the cutting of an apron or safety skirt has become a science, there is little or no danger of being hung up ; and with regard to its being a stronger seat, I think most riders are agreed that there is no seat so strong as the side-saddle.

By many hunts the cross-saddle for women is prohibited, and men, as a rule, are averse to it, some objecting on the ground that it unsexes a woman, or that it will tend to give our girls a bandiness of leg, and the consequent inelegant gait known as the "cavalry roll?" Others do not hold with it on the ground that women thus mounted "do not look so nice," and certainly, given a good figure and a well-cut habit, there are few things so attractive as a woman mounted in the traditional way. With regard to riding kit, some ladies with a perhaps natural shrinking from the boots and breeches of man adopt a sort of compromise in the shape of a divided skirt which has from either side of the horse the appearance of a habit. But the average woman prefers breeches, top boots, and a long coat, and personally I lean to this latter outfit, as not only is it less weighty for the horse, but it looks neater and more workmanlike. Tailors are now so excellent in the cut and design of ride-astride garments for women that there is nothing to offend even the most fastidious of feminine minds, and cross-saddle riding has evidently come to stay. Several well-known London tailors assure me that everyday they receive more orders for cross-saddle kit, but I do not, for one moment think that it will ever become universal, since the masculine mind is so much against it.

A NEW CURE.

"Falling in love," we read, "was commended by the doctor as a most efficacious cure." Not a cure for anything in particular, you are to understand, but a panacea, a cure for all the ills to which flesh is heir. "There are," Dr. Josiah Oldfield is the speaker, "few things more mentally valuable than falling in love, and if I had the power, I would see to it that every girl fell in love." The doctor's readiness to responsibility is most courageous, but we feel that he hardly lays enough stress on the importance of making sure that every girl falls in love wisely and not too well. For if the falls in love with a wastrel it is not sufficient compensation to know that she was cured thereby of a cold in the head. We have no confidence that the general practitioner will see his way to prescribe falling in love as a substitute quinine. It would no doubt, make his practice vastly more exciting for himself as well as the patients. But we cannot get that the ordinary general practitioner is sufficiently imaginative to realise all the delights of this treatment. All the same, we find no difficulty in believing. Dr. Oldfield when he assures us that falling in love "heals a great many people, and I have observed with the greatest interest cases of women who, after having been under treatment, have said, 'You need not come any longer, doctor ; I am going to be married."

THANA LIQUOR FARMERS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—The Government of Bombay having decided to introduce the Madras Abkari System in the Salsette, Mahim and the Bassein Talukas of the Thana District, with effect from 1st April 1912, the Abkari farmers of these talukas, Messrs. Vakil and Co., have adopted a very novel mode of compensating their staff, consisting of clerks, inspectors, depot-keepers, etc., for their services under them by making them partners with the present shop-keepers to whom the shops have been farmed out by them for selling liquors on commission. The poor shop-keepers being the sub-farmer of the principal farmers have no other recourse but to submit to their demand which may however be unreasonable. The main profit by the system of sub-farming that prevails in the talukas mentioned above goes into the pocket of the principal Abkari farmers and the little profit which the sub-farmers, through the strict restrictions that are imposed by Government are making, is so much reduced by parting it with the farmers' servants of the classes mentioned above, that the poor sub-farmers may be compelled to make up the deficiency of their insignificant profit by which they with difficulty live with their families from hand to mouth, by causing greater amount of adultration and making the consumer to suffer in the end. The sub-farmers are registered in the books of the Collector of Abkari as the servants of the farmers to manage the shops, and the servants who are made partners in the profit of the sub-farmers may also be registered as joint managers of shops with the sub-farmers notified to the Collector as the managers of shops. With a view to put a stop to the polished mode of deceiving the authorities adopted by the farmers, you will

THE CHAMPAGNE RIOTS.

GROWING SERIOUSNESS OF SITUATION.

Wine-Growers Moving in Disciplined Bands.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, APRIL 12.

The French wine-growers broke the cordon of police at Ay and pillaged and burned two wine cellars.

The Dragoons used their sabres on the rioters at Epernay, and there were some casualties.

EPERNAY, APRIL 13.

The wine-growers are moving in disciplined bands, each with a staff of officers, and are making sudden descents on the towns and villages, sacking and burning the champagne establishments.

Six well-known firms had their premises burned at Ay, and the mob prevented the firemen from extinguishing the flames, threatening to destroy the engines and hose.

A bomb burst in the streets of Ay, killing a horse and wounding three soldiers.

One firm at Ay had 311 vats of wine broken up in their cellars, the mob wading ankle-deep.

The sky at Epernay is lit up by numerous incendiary fires, many of them being at country houses.

PARIS, APRIL 13.

The Council of Ministers, yesterday evening, decided strongly to reinforce troops in the wine district.

Troops occupy Epernay.

Twelve thousand troops now occupy Epernay There are both mounted and foot soldiers. Troops are quartered in the surrounding villages.

The roads are filled with half-drunken people, whose pockets are stuffed with bottles of champagne.

The havoc wreaked by rioters yesterday is incalculable.

The newspapers attack both the Government and the Chamber of Deputies on account of what is termed their vacillation and impotence.

AVIATION RECORD.

Flight from London to Paris.

HYDROPLANE WRECKED AT MONACO.

LONDON, APRIL 12.

The aviator Prier has flown in his monoplane from London to Paris without a halt.

PARIS, APRIL 13.

M. Prier's time, from London to Paris, was four hours, nine minutes.

LONDON, APRIL 12.

A flying boat, driven by its inventor, M. Fabre, appeared at Monaco, yesterday. It rose from the sea eight or ten feet and then dropped back easily. To-day, however, during some testing evolutions, it dashed on to the rocks and was wrecked. The aviator fell into the sea, but was rescued.

M. Prier, who performed the London-Paris flight, is a Frenchman and was born in 1886. He has worked with M. Bleriot. Throughout the flight he maintained himself at a high altitude and crossed the Channel in thirteen minutes.

ALLEGED CHINESE SPIES.

Arrest in Russian Territory.

MOSCOW, APRIL 13.

Some alleged Chinese spies have been arrested at Dauria station on the Trans-Baikal Railway. It is stated that they include a general, another officer and three soldiers. Drawings, plans and photographs found in their possession were seized.

THE MEXICAN INSURGENTS.

Peace Overtures Proceeding.

LAREDOS, TEXAS, APRIL 13.

Peace overtures are being made with the leader of the Mexican insurgents, Senor Madero, by a merchant who has been conferring with the Government of Mexico.

AMERICAN COTTON TRADE.

The Bills of Lading Question.

NEW YORK, APRIL 13.

A meeting of Foreign Exchange managers, held at the Chamber of Commerce, have approved the formation of a central office in New York to which advices of all cotton bills of lading should be sent. It is hoped thus to guarantee bills of lading to the satisfaction of bankers in Europe.

THE ALBANIAN REVOLT.

Reported Ambush of Turks.

CONSTANTINOPLE, APRIL 13.

It is reported that a Turkish battalion, marching to the relief of Tusi, fell into an ambush, and lost a hundred killed and wounded.

BRITISH AIR BATTALION.

LONDON, APRIL 13th.

The new Air Battalion for the first time appears in the Army List. Its headquarters are at South Farnborough.

Successful flights were made at Aldershot yesterday.

INDIA AND BAGHDAD RAILWAY.

Question in the Commons.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, APRIL 12.

In the House of Commons, Colonel Yate asked whether in view of the political and commercial interests of India, in relation to the Baghdad Railway, the Government of India was being fully consulted regarding the negotiations, and whether, in the event of an agreement being reached, the Government of India would be given an opportunity of expressing its views before the agreement was concluded.

Mr. McKinnon Wood, Parliamentary Secretary to the Foreign Office, replied: "I am in frequent communication with the Secretary of State for India, who keeps himself well-informed regarding the views of his Majesty's representatives in India."

IMPERIAL NAVAL DEFENCE.

Question of India's Co-operation.

LONDON, APRIL 12.

Colonel Yate asked in the House of Commons whether in view of the increasing sea-borne trade to India and the Eastern Crown Colonies, the Government would consider the appointment of a special committee of naval and military experts and representatives of the India and Colonial Offices, to determine their respective interests and share in Imperial Naval Defence, in time to enable the Secretary of State for India to submit the result to the Imperial Conference.

Mr. Asquith replied that it was not proposed at present to appoint a committee. The Crown Colonies already contributed considerably to the cost of their garrisons. The Imperial Conference would consider the question of Imperial Naval Defence in regard to the interests of the self-governing Colonies, but the consideration of a naval contribution by India or the Crown Colonies did not directly arise.

THE CLAPHAM MURDER.

Sentence of Death Commuted.

LONDON, APRIL 12.

The sentence of death on Morrison for the murder of the Jew, Beron, at Clapham in January, has been commuted to penal servitude for life.

CHINESE IN LIVERPOOL.

Home Office to take Steps.

LONDON, APRIL 12.

Mr. Winston Churchill, replying to a question, said that Chinese Immigration at Liverpool was engaging the attention of the Home Office. The steps which it might be necessary to take to deal with the matter were now being considered.

BRITAIN AND UNITED STATES.

Arbitration Meeting to be Held.

LONDON, APRIL 12.

Both Mr. Asquith and Mr. Balfour have accepted invitation from the Lord Mayor to address a meeting at the Guildhall, on the 28th instant, in favour of arbitration between Britain and the United States.

ARCHBISHOP OF SIMLA.

Private Audience with the Pope.

LONDON, APRIL 12.

Archbishop Kennealy of Simla was, to-day, received in private audience by the Pope. He will sail shortly for India.

FERMENT IN SHIAH WORLD.

Treasure of Shrines Used for Public Purposes.

CONSTANTINOPLE, APRIL 13.

A recent Fetwa of the Sheik-ul-Islam, disposing of the treasures of the Shiah shrines at Kerbella and Nejef, for the purpose of building schools and hospitals, has provoked a ferment in the Shiah world.

The Persian Charge d'Affaires has been instructed to lodge a protest with the Porte, and it is expected that Britain and Russia will follow suit.

THE DELHI DURBAR.

Parliamentarian Steamer.

LONDON, APRIL 13.

A meeting of the Parliamentary Durbar Committee has decided to charter a vessel of six thousand tons to convey members of the Houses of Lords and Commons to India.

HOME PARLIAMENT.

Adjournment for Easter.

LONDON, APRIL 12.

The Parliament has adjourned for Easter.

THE news that the High Court bench in Calcutta is to be enlarged from fifteen to twenty Judges has been received with general satisfaction. Prominent members of the Bar are of opinion that this departure makes clear beyond doubt that the threatened partition of the High Court is not to happen.

THE VICEROY AT KARACHI.

A New Bridge Opened.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

KARACHI, APRIL 13.

Last evening, His Excellency opened the overbridge construction which has been erected by the Port Trust at great expense. This bridge carries the vehicular traffic and tramcars over the railway and is said to be one of the largest of its kind in India. There was a large gathering of the leading inhabitants of Karachi present for the opening ceremony and a guard-of-honour of the 129th Baluchis was posted on the bridge.

Mr. Mules, in a long speech, requested His Excellency to declare the bridge open.

LORD HARDINGE'S SPEECH.

The Viceroy replied as follows:—

Mr. Mules, Ladies and Gentlemen,—This morning I had occasion to congratulate your Chamber of Commerce upon the enormous development of trade that had taken place in Karachi during the past ten years, and your Municipality upon the manner in which it has risen to its responsibilities in dealing with your growing needs, but it seems to me that your Chamber of Commerce and your Municipality owe a debt of gratitude to your Port Trust. Unless that body had foreseen the great increase of trade and made their plans with foresight and prudence to meet it, your port would have been choked, your prosperity throttled, and your growth stunted. You, Sir, who have so eloquently illustrated the progress of the port, bear testimony to the transformation that this little fishing village of seventy years ago has undergone.

But, underneath those figures lies a record of intelligent anticipation of skilful planning and of hard and unremitting work of which you, and those who have been associated with you from first to last, have good reason to be proud, and I congratulate Mr. Graham Lynn, the Chief Engineer, upon the successful completion of this task. I feel that you have done me an honour in asking me to unlock this little barrier and open this bridge which forms one of the most essential links in the chain of works, and I am proud that my name should be associated with it. Wishing your port, your trade and your city an ever increasing measure of prosperity, I declare this bridge to be open and name it the Hardinge Bridge.

Taking the key out of the massive casket, Lord Hardinge then opened the gate across the bridge. Re-entering his carriage, escorted by a squadron of the 6th Cavalry, Lord Hardinge drove over the bridge, and, later, changing into a motor he drove round the town to see the different objects of interest.

LEVEE AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

A dinner party was held at the Government House, last evening, and afterwards the Viceroy held a levee and made a presentation of sanads, conferring their respective titles of honour on those Indian gentlemen whose names appeared in the New Year honours' list and a C. M. G. on Major Hannyton of the 129th Baluchis.

VISIT FROM MIR OF KHAIRPUR.

H. E. the Viceroy received yesterday a visit from His Highness the Mir of Khairpur, who was escorted from his residence to Government House by a detachment of the 6th Cavalry. A guard of honour of the 129th Baluchis saluted His Highness on his arrival and departure and the band of the regiment played outside the reception room during the interview. His Excellency received, together, three non-ruling Mirs of Hyderabad and Mirpur Khas.

SIMLA, APRIL 13.

Lord Hardinge is expected to arrive in Dehra Dun, on Saturday next, the 15th instant. Arrangements are being made to give him some good shooting in the forests opposite the Rishikesh railway station, where Raja Runbeer Singh has a shooting-box. As there will be a full moon about the 15th, there should be no difficulty in securing two or three royal tigers.

A Levee.

VICEROY'S CAMP, KARACHI, APRIL 13.

Last night a largely attended official dinner was given at Government House after which His Excellency held a Levee.

The Viceroy then presented to Major Hannyton, of the 129th (D. C. O.) Baluchis, the order of C. M. G. recently conferred on him for valuable services in Somaliland. Sanads were then presented to Khan Bahadur Sheik Sadik Ali in connection with his long service as a Deputy Collector and as Vazir of the Khairpur State; to Rao Bahadur Balchand Dayaram, President, Hyderabad Municipality; to Khan Sahib Sayed Ali Bukesh Shah; to Khan Sahib Suleman Ghulam Hussain Hajee for service in the Civil Veterinary Department, and especially for his efforts to popularise the inoculation of animals against rinderpest; and to Rao Saheb Pahlajrai Shewaram, who is noted for his philanthropy and for his conduct as a model Zamindar. The Sanad of the late Khan Bahadur Ali Mahomed Hussanali was presented to his eldest son.

Viceregal Visits.

At 11 o'clock, this morning, the Viceroy returned the visit of His Highness the Mir of Khairpur. He was accompanied by Sir Henry MacMahon and the Viceregal Staff and was escorted by a squadron of the 6th Cavalry. The Mir was at the door of his Durbar tent to receive His Excellency as he arrived and a guard-of-honour of the York and Lancaster Regiments outside gave a royal salute. After some conversation "pan and attar" was presented and the Viceroy returned to Government House.

At noon, to-day, the Viceroy, accompanied by the Commissioner and Collector of Karachi, paid a visit to the Dayaram Jethmal Sind College, where he was received by the members of the Board and the College Staff and shown over the College. His Excellency watched the students working in the laboratories and workshop, and displayed considerable interest in the College and its work, and in the arrangements for accommodating the students. He left the College at 12-30.

He then visited the Sind Madressah, where he was received by the Principal, Mr. T. H. Vines, and the Staff. His Excellency expressed great interest in all he saw and in the efforts which were being made for the furtherance of education in Sind.

In the afternoon, the Viceroy motored to Keamari, where he was entertained by the Port Trustees on board the "Richmond Crawford" and was taken to inspect the harbour, and the developments and improvements of the port now in progress. His Excellency will be entertained at a dinner this evening by members of the Sind Club and will leave afterwards, at 11 p.m., by a special train. The departure will be private.

MR. ARNOTT, Assistant Engineer, Burma Railway, who was dangerously injured in the collision between his trolley and a goods train between Maymyo and Myohaung, when Lieut. Hill, of the 10th Ghurkas and two trolley men were killed, is on a fair road to recovery.

THE Secretary of State has appointed Mr. Gerald Agnew, B. A., of Trinity College, Dublin, to the Indian Educational Service as an Inspector of Schools in Eastern Bengal and Assam.

THE ASSAM MURDERS.

A Fifth Survivor.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

DIBRUGARH, APRIL 13.

The force of the Military Police of Pasighat will shortly be brought to 200 with 100 Miri boatmen in entrenched camp above the flood level. Four principal village headmen and forty Pasi Abor tribesmen are detained as hostages, although the Pasis protest friendship. The Pasi Miyong Abors and Trans-Dehong Abors in the north are reported to have arranged the massacre in a great council. An Abor detained at Pasighat states that the massacre of Mr. Williamson's party occurred in the Komsing village to the south of Riu, and in that Mr. Williamson was enticed into a headman's house and bound; which was the signal for slaughter of Nepali coolies. Pasighat is on the Dehong River, three days by boat from Sadiya Komsing, and about four marches from Pasighat on the left bank of the Dehong. Altogether five Nepali refugees have come in.

SIR ANDREW FRASER MALIGNED.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, APRIL 13.

To-day's "Capital" publishes a letter from Mr. Gourlay, a prominent Bengal Civilian, in connection with a quotation from the "Amrita Bazaar" regarding the late Lieut-Governor Sir Andrew Fraser. It was stated therein that Sir Andrew had built himself a palatial house in Scotland at a cost of five lakhs and that, owing to some fault of one of his sons, Sir Andrew was in financial trouble, that the house of Sir Andrew with all its furniture was sold and that Sir Andrew was living in a rented house.

Mr. Gourlay writes. "I felt sure at the time that these statements were incorrect. I am now in a position to state on the best authority that the story is false. Sir Andrew Fraser built a house on some land in Glenisla, which came to him from a relative. The house cost about one-tenth of the sum stated. Sir Andrew Fraser has had no financial reverse, and he has not sold his house. He is living for the winter in Edinburgh in order to give a home to two of his sons, one being in an office and the other at school."

KALKA-SIMLA RAILWAY.

Motor Trolley for Mails.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, APRIL 13.

The motor trolley which has been obtained for the carriage of mails, made a trial trip, on the 11th April, from Kalka to Simla. The time taken, exclusive of halts at stations, was 4 hours, 16 1-2 minutes, which works out to an average speed of slightly less than fourteen miles an hour. The trolley was loaded with weights to represent the mails. It has not yet been decided what mails will be carried by this means.

ALLEGED NOTE FORGERIES.

Secret Rooms Discovered.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, APRIL 13.

Referring to the note forgers at Tollygunge, the searches at the house of mystery have revealed no less than three secret rooms which were built at different times by the accused. As he declined to show anything, the wall which created suspicion by its measurements was broken with a crowbar, and the rooms were discovered. As Mr. Bromage was investigating the opening to the underground room, which is in the entrance hall, the accused, who behaves as if he were mad, implored him not to do so, as there was dynamite there. However Mr. Bromage proceeded, but there was no dynamite found there. A curious feature of the large correspondence seized is that it includes many letters from Japan, one of which contained the phrase "Do not fear I am here," they urge secrecy. The final discovery of the house is due to a large extent to a member of the police force who for 11 months has been persistently trying to obtain service there, and who succeeded lately in doing so.

The search it is said will take a month. There were no less that eight machines for note printing, six of which are still there. A large number of trial notes have been found of which the printing was defective.

THEFT OF A GUN.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, APRIL 13.

The Sub-Divisional Officer of Serampore to-day sentenced a youth to nine months' rigorous imprisonment for stealing a gun from one Abu Duffadur. The Criminal Investigation Department at first took up the case believing it to be a political case, but on retrial found it to be simply a case of cheating. The Magistrate held the charge proved.

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF'S VISIT TO PATIALA.

Maharaja presents Aeroplane.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LAHORE, APRIL 13.

During the recent visit of the Commander-in-Chief to Patiala, an aeroplane was presented to the Indian Army by the Maharaja of Patiala in honour of Sir O'Moore Creagh's visit to the State.

PUNJAB GOVERNMENT.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LAHORE, APRIL 13.

The Hon'ble Mr. Fenton, Chief Secretary of Punjab Government, will proceed on three months and ten days' leave next week. Mr. Tollinton will act as Chief Secretary and Mr. Humphreys as Revenue Secretary to the Government.

NEW CLUB AT AMRITSAR.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LAHORE, APRIL 13.

On Monday evening, Colonel Parsons, the Commissioner, opened at Amritsar the new Lumsden Club, named after the Deputy Commissioner of that place. The club is intended to provide common meeting place for recreation and social intercourse for Indian and European gentlemen and is situated in a bungalow in the Rambagh Gardens.

THE twenty-sixth anniversary meeting of the Anjuman-i-Himagat Islam, Lahore, and the Jubilee of the foundation of the Dayanand Anglo-Vedic College will be celebrated during the Easter holidays.

RETURNED EMIGRANTS FROM NATAL.

Make no Complaints.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, APRIL 13.

The Protector of Emigrants, Madras, reports as follows regarding the 246 returned emigrants from Natal by the s. s. "Umfuli," which arrived here on the 7th March:—"The emigrants were questioned by me individually as to the treatment they had received in the Colony and during the voyage, and they had no complaints to make. Among the emigrants were 72 Sirdars or Maistries, who have, apparently, at the request of their employers, returned to this country for the purpose of inducing their friends to join them in Natal before emigration to that Colony is prohibited. Twenty-six of these men had not completed their full indentured period. I have satisfied myself that these men were contented and comfortable in the Colony and that they are all anxious to return to it; which they will presumably do on fresh agreements before 30th June 1911. The savings brought by the returned emigrants amounted to Rs. 38,415, of which Rs. 2,187 appertained to three emigrants, one of whom brought Rs. 2,100."

SHYAMGANJ POLITICAL DACOITY.

Accused Before Magistrate.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, APRIL 13.

Mr. Clifford, Additional District Magistrate of Mymensingh, came to Jamalpore and heard the Shyamganj Political Dacoity Case, on Tuesday, in which Girindra Nath Bhattarcharji, of Faridpur, aged twenty-five years, is accused.

The prosecution story is that, on the night of March 31, some fifteen disguised dacoits, armed with guns, revolvers and daggers, surrounded the house of Nundo Kumar Pal, a wealthy merchant and banker of the village of Shyamganj in the Jamalpore Sub-division. Most of the dacoits were youths. They wore trousers and coats, had their faces covered with red cloths, and wore electric lights attached to their chests. They had with them two trumpeters and spoke among themselves in English. They attacked the house with a cry of "Joy Ma Tara," the usual cry of the Badralog dacoits, assaulted the inmates and carried away property worth Rs. 200. Fifteen prosecution witnesses were examined and the case was adjourned.

Girindra is also accused in another dacoity which took place on February 3rd in the village of Panditshor in the Faridpur District. The police investigation in this case is not complete.

SIMLA WATER-WORKS SCHEME.

Tenders for Contract.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, APRIL 13.

When the Simla water-works scheme was considered in 1904, the water-works scheme Committee combined with that of hydro-electric, so as to enable the Government to have both these important projects taken into consideration together. The main lines of this scheme were the acquisition of a large catchment area below Fadu, the utilisation of a stream known as the Nanti Khud for the generation of electricity. The transmission of power thus obtained was to carry additional water to Simla from the new area and to substitute electricity for fuel in the case of existing engines and the supply of light and power for the needs of Simla. The Committee showed that, at a moderate computation, the electric scheme would yield an annual income of Rs. 20,000 without taking into account the revenue from the supply to the general public. They proved the urgent need of an additional water-supply and demanded an increase of 20,000 gallons per diem, which would be available for the scheme.

On Monday tenders were opened for the supply of machinery, etc., to work it. There were no less than 25 tenders from all over the world. Each tender enclosed £1,000 as the security demanded. The tenders opened yesterday are to be submitted first to the provincial Government for approval. The firm whose tender will be accepted will have, from the date of notice, to complete the installation within a period of ten months.

MAHOMEDAN UNIVERSITY COMMITTEE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LUCKNOW, APRIL 13.

The Rajah of Mahomedabad, Aligarh, will preside over the Mahomedan University Committee, the sittings of which will begin from the 14th instant. It is believed that the sittings will last for some days and the proceedings will be confidential. About thirty leading Mahomedans from all parts of India are expected to be present.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR SPORT AT SIMLA.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, APRIL 13.

In the course of the next ten days, a meeting of the Annandale Committee will be held. It is to be hoped that they will consider seriously the advisability of having at least two racing Gymkhanas during the month. One Pagal Gymkhana per mensem should suffice for the amusement of the members. In the interests of the Simla public, it is to be hoped that a committee looking with a generous eye may see their way to hand over the Annandale grounds to the public on one Saturday in each month.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, APRIL 13.

Major-General Bradshaw, Commanding the Bareilly Brigade, is granted leave for two months and 22 days and Brigadier-General Keary, Garhwal Brigade, leave for six months.

Captain Lister, I. M. S; Surgeon to the Commander-in Chief, has eight months' leave; Major Davy, R. A. M. C., will officiate.

Major Hallowes is proceeding to England as Supply and Transport Officer to the Indian Coronation Contingent.

Lieut.-Col. J. S. Meston has returned to Simla and has taken over charge of command of the Volunteer Rifles from Major Henry.

Major Jelf has left the Viceroy's Staff and gone home on six months' leave, on his return he will rejoin his battalion at Chakrata.

Capt. Tod, of the Rifle Brigade, and Capt. Hartly, 11th K. G. O. Lancers, will join the Viceroy's Staff as extra A.-D.-C.'s at the end of this month.

THE "C. and M. Gazette" understands that the head-quarters of the Military Works Account Department will be transferred from Simla to Lahore next cold weather.

ROYAL VISIT TO BOMBAY.

Public Meeting of Citizens.

THE public meeting, convened by the Sheriff of Bombay, in accordance with a requisition by the leading citizens of Bombay, in order to decide what steps shall be taken by the city to commemorate the approaching visit of their Majesties the King-Emperor and the Queen-Empress, was held yesterday in the Town Hall, Bombay, H. E. Sir George Clarke, Governor of Bombay, presiding. The platform was occupied by a large number of leading citizens belonging to all communities, the rest of the hall being also crowded. Among those present on the occasion were: The Hon'ble the Chief Justice Sir Basil Scott; Sir Jamsetji Jejeebhoy; Major-General J.C. Swann; the Hon'ble Sir Pherozeshah M. Metha; Mr. S. B. Broacha; the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Louis P. Russell; Mr. C. H. Armstrong; the Hon'ble Mr. Justice S. L. Batchelor; D. J. Tata; the Hon'ble Sir Henry E. E. Procter; the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Beaman; Sir Currimbhoy Ebrahim; Sir Cowasji Jehangir; the Hon'ble Sir V. D. Thackersey; the Hon'ble Mr, Justice J. J. Heaton; the Hon'ble Mr. W. L. Graham; the Hon'ble Mr H. Greeves; Mr. N. S. Glazebrooke; the Hon'ble Mr. Manmohundas Ramji; the Hon'ble Mr. C. H. Setalvad; Mr. S. M. Edwardes; Sir Balchandra Krishna; the Hon'ble Mr. J. P. Orr; the Hon'ble Mr. Ibrahim Rahimtoola; the Hon'ble Mr. Abdul Hussain Adamji Peerbhoy; Mr. J. Wardlaw Milne; Dr Stanley Reed; Mr. James Macdonald; Mr P. R. Cadell; Dr. K. E. Dadachanji; Mr. E. Ferrers Nicholson; Mr. A. M. Todd; the Hon'ble Dr. T. B. Narman; Mr. D. E. Wacha; Rao Bahadur Vassanji Khimji; Mr. H. O. Quin; Mr. B. D. Petit; Mr. Narotam Morarji Gokuldas; Mr. Cowasji Jehangir Readymoney; Dr. N. H. E. Sukhia; Mr. Jehangir Dosabhoy Framji, Mr. H. M. Cama; Mr. R. P. Masani; Mr. F. F. Gordon; Mr. G. O. Dunn; Mr. Leslie Rogers; Mr. Mahomedbhoy Currimbhoy Ebrahim; Mr. N. N. Wadia and many others.

GREATEST EVENT IN HISTORY.

Mr. S. B. Broacha, Sheriff of Bombay, opening the proceedings said:—Your Excellency and fellows citizens,—I have received a requisition signed by the representatives of the inhabitants of Bombay to call a public meeting to concert measures for the reception of their Majesties the King-Emperor of India and the Queen-Empress. But before I read the requisition, I call upon you fellow citizens to rise to the height of the conception of the greatest event in the history of the world, ancient or modern, the Coronation of the King-Emperor at Delhi. (Applause). The Coronation of Charlemagne, the Coronation of Napoleon I, pale before the great event coming off this year. The Coronation of Alexander the Great in Persia bears a likeness, but a likeness so remote that it could not be made into a historic parallel. The population under the sway of the three united Empires never numbered more than a hundred millions. The loyal subjects of His Majesty the King-Emperor number 400 millions. (Applause). It is the greatest event in the history of India, for never was India from Cape Comorin to Himalayas and from Indus to Irrawady under one sway. For the making of that greatest historic event their Majesties the King-Emperor and the Queen-Empress land on the portals of our shores and sojourn in our beautiful city for three days—our city clad in gold and sunshine and washed by silvery sea; the city we are so proud of. We lavish money on our marriage feasts, but remember Bombay is the dowry of a bride. She is herself a bride now in the fullest bloom of her youth and beauty with charms that lend themselves to any decoration. The first impressions last the longest. Let us then strive to make our city a thing of beauty and that when their Majesties depart to a larger amphitheatre of greater magnificence, pomp and circumstance, our beautiful city and the enthusiastic loyalty of its people linger in their memory. Let us adorn our city with rings and things so gay and let us fix December the 2nd to December the 4th Bombay's wedding day. (Applause).

On the motion of Sir Jamsetji Jejeebhoy, seconded by Sir Currimbhoy Ebrahim, His Excellency the Governor was requested to take the Chair.

HIS EXCELLENCY'S SPEECH.

His Excellency, having taken the Chair, rose to address the assembly, when he was received with long and prolonged cheering. His Excellency announced donations of Rs. 10,000 each from Sir Currimbhoy Ebrahim, the Hon'ble Sir Sassoon David, Sir Cowasji Jehangir, Messrs Tata and Sons, the Hon'ble Mr. Manmohandas Ramji, and Mr. Shapurji B Broacha, to the general funds. His Excellency then said:—

Mr. Sheriff and gentlemen,—We have met together for an important civic purpose. India is to receive the unique honour of a visit from the King-Emperor and the Queen, and it falls to Bombay to be the first city to welcome their Majesties. I know well that I speak for all the loyal citizens of Bombay in saying that we earnestly wish and we intend that our welcome shall be worthy of the great occasion, that it shall adequately represent our feelings of devotion to the British Crown, and that it shall correspond to the dignity and the wealth of our City. I confess that I was inclined to believe that it might be best for me not to preside at this meeting, because I thought that perhaps my presence might seem to rob a citizens' gathering of its spontaneity, and give rise to an impression that Government desired to exert influence in a matter where influence would not be proper and could not be required. The Sheriff has told me that he particularly wished me to come here to-day and that my presence could not be misunderstood. It is always my wish to share in every public movement, and I need not, therefore, assure you that I am proud to be called to the Chair this evening.

We have met to take the first steps necessary to organize such a reception for their Majesties as will best secure their pleasure, and will thus satisfy the aspirations of our warm-hearted citizens. We want also to give the people the best opportunities for seeing their Majesties, and to provide them with spectacles which will brighten the lives of our humblest workers and remain to them as a treasured memory. Government have for some time been considering the arrangements to be made at the Apollo Bunder, and the Consulting Architect has prepared a design which will suit the requirements and be a handsome though temporary building. The great gate of India will be represented in a fitting structure which will serve for the principal presentations. Thence, their Majesties will reach a kiosk facing an amphitheatre, capable of accommodation about 3,000 people, in full view of whom the address of the Municipal Corporation can be presented. This, together with the illumination of the public buildings, will be taken in hand by Government. There will remain the decoration of the line of route through which their Majesties will pass in procession before their Bombay subjects, and the illumination of such portion of the City as may be selected. Here organization and well thought out plans are essential. The impression produced by promiscuous decoration in which every householder does what seems best to himself, is generally disappointing and incongruous. We require a harmonious scheme of colour happily blended into which any arches or special features will fit naturally and effectively. Different parts of the city may require different treatment, and variety in this sense may be made delightful to the eye. All this will now be considered and if the preparation of the scheme is begun at once there will be ample time.

Then there is the question of any special features of India's life which their Majesties might wish to see, and I am anxious that our school children may be assembled in large numbers for the occasion. I have reason to believe that such a spectacle would be pleasing to their Majesties, and it is most desirable that our children should have an opportunity of seeing their King and Queen and of carrying away a memory which will last throughout their lives. I am sure you will all feel with me that, on a great occasion of this kind, we should remember the children. (Applause) Whether the Bombay Schools only should be drawn upon, or whether we should bring in children from adjacent districts is a question depending on numbers and space. The many arrangements will need careful organization, to ensure the comfort of the children, and to enable their Majesties to see them to the best advantage. I know nothing more attractive than an assemblage of Indian children and I am quite sure that their Majesties will appreciate such a great gathering as I contemplate, representing the young life of all the communities, on which the future mainly depends.

I must not any longer stand between this meeting and the business which lies before it and I will only say that, though I am leaving Bombay on Saturday with reluctance but with some real need of change, I shall always be ready to assist the Central Committee, which we are about to create, with all the means at my disposal.

NEED OF LIBERALITY.

The Hon'ble the Chief Justice, Sir Basil Scott, moved the following resolution: "That this meeting has heard with feelings of joy the announcement of the approaching visit to India of their Most Gracious Majesties the King-Emperor of India and the Queen-Empress, and resolves that arrangements be made for celebrating this joyous occasion in a manner worthy of this city."

Sir Basil Scott, moving the resolution, said, that after the eloquent speech made by the Sheriff and the clear statement made by his Excellency of the possibilities which lay before the city for the purpose of celebrating the advent of their Majesties to Bombay, he did not propose to dilate upon the theme. But he wished to indicate the need of liberality on the part of the citizens of Bombay on the occasion of that unique event. He hoped Bombay by liberally subscribing to the funds would prove true to her reputation as one of the first cities of the Empire. He wished to indicate the outline of what could be done on the unique occasion. It would occur to everybody that there must be illuminations on an unusual scale in conformity with the unique event, and that they should decorate not only the city but the whole of the glorious expanse of Back Bay. Then there must be a popular show, in which the humblest and poorest could participate. He had great pleasure in moving the resolution.

UNIQUE EVENT.

The Hon. Sir Pherozeshah M. Mehta, who was received most enthusiastically said:—Your Excelelncy, ladies and gentlemen,—In rising to second the resolution moved by the Chief Justice in such tact and appropriate terms, I cannot keep wishing that I was a poet, a historian and a statesman, combined more. For without this combination, without the vision and the faculty divine of the poet the illuminating lore of the historian, and penetrating comprehension of the statesman, it is almost impossible to give full and adequate expression to the dignity and grandeur of the occasion which we desire to celebrate its services and sacred solemnity, to its pregnant and far-reaching symbolic significance for everything connected with the welfare, happiness and progress, indeed for all events moulding the lofty destinies of this magnificent land of ours. The occasion will not be a mere pageant, perhaps more gorgeous and dazzling than any that have gone before; it will not be a mere royal visit of kindly interest and sympathy and mutual knowledge such as those we have been favoured with in the past.

It will be a historic event to deeper significance and import than a pageant or a royal visit, this unprecedented advent of our gracious Sovereign to announce in his own person his accession to the throne of the British Empire. It will be nothing less than an emphatic announcement that we are an equal and integral part of the British Empire, it will be a fervent and solemn and deliberate assurance that his watchful eye will be always upon us, on our weal and our woe, that his unceasing interest and sympathy will cover and envelop the development of our destinies and will be a stimulus and example to all concerned in the administration of the country. It will be tidings of joy for the present glowing hope for the future.

QUEEN'S PROCLAMATION.

It will indeed be the perfect and practical fulfilment of the noble words—as wise as generous—uttered by that great and good Queen (applause)—when she assumed the direct sovereignty of the Indian Empire in the Great Proclamation of 1858:—"We hold ourselves bound to the natives of our Indian Territories by the same obligations of duty which bind us to all our other subjects; and these obligations by the blessing of Almighty God we shall faithfully and conscientiously fulfil. It is no wonder then, that the whole country is preparing to hail the advent of their Majesties with unbounded joy, enthusiasm and loyalty. Our city cannot and will not be behind any other city in that respect. We proudly remember that we are the only city in India which can claim to be a royal city; a royal and personal gift to the ancestors of His Majesty. We shall greet their Majesties with our loyal acclamation, as they put their feet on Indian soil. It is we who will speed them onwards on their high emprize with our prayers and our blessings. (Loud applause.)

The Hon'ble Mr. Ibrahim Rahimtoola, supporting the resolution, drew the attention of the meeting to that part of the resolution which expressed a hope that arrangements be made for celebrating the joyous occasion in a maner worthy of the city. He earnestly hoped the occasion will be celebrated in a manner worthy of the city, and that the citizens would realise the obligation imposed upon them. They rightly claimed that Bombay was the first city in India and that even apart from the question of the number of population, their city stood pre-eminently, first owing to the cordial relations that existed between officials, and non-officials, and Englishmen and Indians. They claimed to be an easy first in India in point of philanthropy and public spirit. And it was but right and appropriate that they must have the high priviledge of being the first to welcome their Majesties in India. This was a proud privilege, but it also meant that they should be alive to the responsibilities which that priviledge imposed upon them. The donations announced at the meeting clearly showed that Bombay fully realised her obligation and would act in a manner justifying her proud position in the Empire.

Sir Bhalchandra Krishna, seconding the resolution, said:—I consider it a high honour to have an opportunity of associating myself with the proposition that the citizens of Bombay should give a fitting reception to their most Gracious Majesties the King-Emperor and the Queen-Empress of India, on their arrival on our shores in December next. As the Keepers of the Gate of India it is our high privilege as well as our bounden duty to accord a hearty and most loyal reception to their Majesties on a becoming scale of magnificence. The announcement of the Coronation in India of their Imperial Majesties and their visit to this country for the ceremonial function, are epoch-making events in the history of India, and it is most appropriate that Bombay should mark its sense of the grandeur of the occasion in a style which will make the reception memorable. The citizens of Bombay have need only to be apprized of the coming visit of their Majesties and the sense of loyalty is so ingrained in them that they may surely be trusted to rise equal to the occasion. It is necessary to make an organised effort to awaken the citizens, and we may rely on their making a most hearty and generous response. The reception of their Majesties in Bombay will be the fore-runner of a series of like receptions in the whole country, and we must be fully awakened to a lively sense of our responsibility in making our demonstration suitably grand. It is not the wealth we spend, but the heartiness we evince, that is of the essence of the demonstration, and we must strive to mark our heartiness in a striking manner. With these brief words, I commend the resolution proposed by the Hon'ble Sir Basil Scott to your unanimous acceptance.

Sir Cowasji Jehangir, further supporting the resolution, hoped Bombay would rise to the occasion.

The resolution was carried unanimously.

The Hon'ble Mr. C. H. Armstrong moved a resolution:—"That a General Committee consisting of the gentlemen named be appointed, with power to add to ther number, to invite subscriptions from the public and to carry out generally the objects of this meeting, and that the following gentlemen be appointed Secretaries of the General Committee:—Mr. J. S. Wardlaw Milne; Mr. P. R. Cadell; Mr. A. M. Tod; the Hon'ble Mr. Ibrahim Rahimtoola; the Hon'ble Mr. Fazulbhoy Currimbhoy Ebrahim; Mr. Cowasji Jehanghir; Mr. D. E. Wacha; Mr. Narotum Morarji Goculdas; the Hon'ble Mr. Manmohandas Ramji and Sir Bhalchandra Krishna." The list, he remarked "of the General Committee, which will appear in the papers to-morrow morning, is thoroughly representative of all classes and the gentlemen appointed will, I am sure, be glad to help in all arrangements necessary to make the visit of their Majesties a great success. My name will appear as representing the commercial life of this Port, and as Bombay is essentially a commercial town, and a city we have every reason to be very proud of, I am glad to have this opportunity of saying that the commercial community will give their Majesties a most loyal and hearty welcome. By our commerce, our shipping, our local industries, the energy of our citizens and by many recent improvements, we have made Bombay what it now is the finest town in India, and I can safely say that on this memorable occasion we shall live

up to our reputation by giving their Majesties a reception worthy in every way of our great position. After Great Britain, India is undoubtedly the most important part of the Empire and the friendly understandings, which now exist between East and West are making us realize more and more each day how necessary we are the one to the other, the prosperity of the one being also the prosperity of the other, and we feel that under one King and Emperor we are working together for progress, contentment and for the general good. I hope, Sir, this visit of their Majesties will be a most successful one. I feel sure it will be, and that it will help further to unite as one nation the various communities gathered together this evening in this Hall. I have much pleasure in proposing this resolution."

The Hon'ble Mr. C. H. Setalvad seconded the resolution, which was passed unanimously.

The Hon'ble Sir Vithaldas D. Thackersey moved "that the General Committee be empowered to appoint an Executive Committee and to take all such measures as they deem necessary."

Sir Vithaldas, moving the resolution, said they all rejoiced at the prospect of welcoming their Majesties to the brightest jewel of the British Crown. Bombay, was the first city in India and therefore they all hoped that the Committee would arrange the reception in a manner worthy of the city.

The Hon'ble Mr. W. L. Graham, seconding the resolution, hoped the Committee would take into their consideration the accommodation of the children on the occation. He hoped they would be brought to Bombay from the various parts of the Presidency so that the event might live long in the memory of the rising generation.

The resolution was carried unanimously.

The Hon'ble Mr. Abdul Hussein Adamji Peerbhoy moved and Rao Bahadur Vassanji Khimji seconded the resolution : "That the best thanks be given to the Sheriff of Bombay for convening the meeting."

The resolution was passed unanimously.

Mr. S. B. Broacha, the Sheriff, replying to the vote of thanks, said :—Your Excellency and fellow citizens,—I thank you sincerely for your kind vote of thanks. But I reserve my appreciation until we have all acquitted ourselves of our duty. When you give, and you must give lavishly, call it not it is for bonfire and blaze. There is a time for utility and there is a time for Mafficking. New York went delirious when Iroquis won the Derby Broad-street ran amock with champagne and no passer-by was allowed to leave Wall-street either sorrowful or sober. There are days when pent-up feelings must have vent. Away then with your cold calculations on the days of national rejoicing (Applause.)

The Hon. Mr. Justice Russell then moved a vote of thanks to His Excellency Sir George Clarke for kindly presiding at the meeting.

Sir Dorab J. Tata seconded the proposition, which was carried amid enthusiastic and prolonged cheering.

The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Russell proposed : "That the best thanks of the meeting be accorded to his Excellency Sir George Clarke for having kindly taken the Chair."

Mr. Justice Russell said he need not say anything in support of the resolution, as it appealed specially to their heart.

Sir Dorab J. Tata seconded the resolution, which was carried with acclamation.

His Excellency who, on rising to reply to the vote of thanks, was again received with loud cheering, said :—Mr. Sheriff, ladies, and gentlemen,—I well remember exactly ten years ago, since my first experience was gained of facing a great public meeting that was held in a very far off land—I mean in the town of Melbourne—and gentlemen, though Australians had a very hearty and kindly feeling for me, I think I have never received in my life so much kindness and cordiality which the people of Bombay have shown me to-day. (Hear, hear). I think we can all congratulate ourselves on the most happy, harmonious and successful meeting. I am quite sure that from this meeting will spring all the results which we most anticipate. I should like to say one thing and that is to amplify what I alluded to in my first speech. I think we must consider the poor people in Bombay whose lives are very colourless and very monotonous and our fetes should take a form which would bring pleasure into their dull life. (Applause.) I hope other towns in the Presidency will follow in that respect the land of Bombay and that at least they will do something for their poor. I am now quite certain that the visit of the King and Queen will be a great and unqualified success and I do think with Mr. Armstrong that it will set the seal of essential unity between India and the Mother Country. It will also mark those cordial relations between all communities which so emphatically exist in Bombay, and which will, on that occasion show forth in all their splendour. (Applause).

Mr. Broacha, the Sheriff, called for three cheers for his Excellency the Governer, which were heartily given.

The proceedings then terminated.

WEEKLEY PLAGUE RETURNS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, APRIL 13.

The plague figures for the week ending 8th April show the total mortality to be 42,770 against 41,070 in the week previous. The provincial figures were Bombay Presidency 1,633, deaths, Madras 103, Bengal 5,093, United Provinces 23,431, the Punjab 5,686, Burma 125, Central Provinces 975, Mysore, 83, Hyderabad 119, Central India, 988, Rajputana 2,818, and the North West Frontier 1.

KARACHI FREIGHT MARKET.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

KARACHI, APRIL 13.

The freight market remains steady, but quiet Shippers show little inclination to take near freight finding it difficult to make headway in buying wheat up country. Harvesting is now beginning, and this always causes a disinclination to sell on the part of holders in the Punjab. All available tabour is turned out into the fields and despatching and carting is thus interfered with.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS BY MAJOR J. W. HAWES, V. D., COMMANDING.

Bombay, 14th April.

154. Arms Return of—Members in possession of Arms and Accoutrements are requested to return them to Head Quarters as early as possible.

156. Regtl. Committee Meeting.—A meeting of the Regimental Committee will be held at the B V A Club on Tuesday next 18th instant at 7 p.m.

157. Leave—Leave of absence for six months are granted to the undermentioned members :—

158 Office Closing of—Cpl-Trpt Pearce, Bombr Swane, Gnr Eagles, O'Brien and Saunders. The Headquarters Office will be closed from Friday 14th instant to Tuesday 18th instant on account of Easter Holidays.

E. P CUDLIP, Capt. R. A.,
Adjt. B. V. A.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS BY COL. R. W. L. DUNLOP, V. D.

Bombay, 14th April.

307. The Competition for the Divisional and Provincial Medal will take place at Ghat Kopar on Sunday the 23rd instant and the Ranges will be available for practice on 15th, 17th and 19th instant. Train leaves Victoria Terminus at 6 a.m.

308. Arms—Members in possession of Arms and Accoutrements must return the same to Head-Quarters at once.

309. Meeting.—There will be a Sergeants' Mess Meeting at Head-Quarters to-day Friday, the 14th instant at 7 p.m

310. Musketry.—The Miniature Range at Head-Quarters will be open for practice on Saturdays from 2 to 5 p.m. until further orders.

A. L. CARTWRIGHT, Capt.,
Adjt. B. V. R.

PUNJAB HINDU SABHA.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LAHORE, APRIL 13.

Some leaders of the Punjab Hindu Sabha, in pursuance of one of its objects to popularise Hindi and Sanscrit in the Province, recently held a preliminary meeting at Sir P. C. Chatterjee's place to take the necessary steps for the purpose.

BOMBAY CORPORATION.

Election to Standing Committee.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Bombay Municipal Corporation was held yesterday afternoon, the Hon'ble Sir Phirozeshah M. Mehta, the President, occupying the Chair.

The Board proceeded to elect a member of the Standing Committee in place of Mr. Jamshedji Ardeshir Wadia, who resigned his seat on the Corporation and also on the Standing Committee, as he proceeded to England.

Two nominations were received: Mr. Cowasji Jehangir who was proposed by the Hon'ble Sir Phirozeshah M. Mehta, and Mr. S. M. Edwardes and seconded by the Hon'ble Mr. Ibrahim Rahimtulla and Mr. J. S. Wardlaw Milne, (2) Mr. Jehangir Bomonji Petit, proposed by Sir Bhalchandra Krishna, the Hon'ble Mr. Chimanlal H. Setalvad, and Dr. D. A. D'Monte and seconded by Mr. Haji Yusuf Haji Esmael, Mr. N. J. Gamadia and Mr Chunilal V. Mehta.

The voting was by ballot and the box was kept open for one hour. The results of the scrutiny were :

Mr. Cowasji Jehangir	38
Mr. Jehangir B. Petit	21

The President thereupon declared Mr. Cowasjee Jehangir duly elected member of the Standing Committee.

TRAMWAY SERVICE.

The Corporation considered the thirty-first report of the Committee regarding matters connected with the Tramway service in the city.

The Committee's report was :—By Corporation Resolution No. 6824, dated the 6th February, 1911, the Committee have been asked to report on the Commissioner's letter No. 37444, dated the 24th January 1911, regarding a suggestion made by Government for prohibiting passengers from entering and leaving tram-cars by the front platform. The Company's Bye-law No. 3 forbids passengers from talking or interfering with, or otherwise distracting the attention of, the driver of the car while on duty or to use the driver's platform while the car is in motion. As, however, people constantly jump off and into cars even while they are in motion, it is stated in the letter from the Secretary to Government, General Department, No. 6507, dated the 23rd December 1910, that the practice must distract driver's attention and increase greatly the risk of accidents. It is, therefore, suggested that Bye-law No. 3 be amended so as to prohibit passengers from entering and leaving tram-cars by the front platform, as is the practice in Europe. The Tramways Company, however, consider it unnecessary and inadvisable to discontinue the present practice for the following reasons advanced by the Managing Engineer of the Tramways Company in his letter No. 124, dated the 11th January 1911, to the Commissioner : "(1) I am not aware of a single accident which was either caused or aggravated by the distraction of the driver owing to passengers using the front platform when boarding or alighting from our cars; (2) our accident returns show a steady improvement and there is consequently no need for any special alarm at the present time; (3) our passengers have been using the front platforms of the cars for boarding and alighting since 1907, and I am strongly of the opinion that any alteration to the present arrangement would be productive of more accidents than it would prevent. Passengers are so accustomed to using the front platform and a withdrawal of the privilege would cause so much inconvenience that many of them would endeavour to overcome any obstacle in the form of hinged steps or gates which might be adopted, and in doing so would run greater risks than they do now."

The Municipal Commissioner is of the same opinion and after carefully considering the question the Committee are also of opinion that the need for discontinuing the use of the front platform has not been established.

By Corporation Resolution, dated the 2nd March 1911, the Committee have been asked to consider the amended Tramway Bye-laws and Transfer Regulations received with the Commissioner's letter, dated the 2nd February 1911. The Committee have carefully considered the proposed amendments and are of opinion that they may be approved. By Corporation Resolution, dated the 25th April 1910, the Tramways Company were informed that the Corporation were of opinion that Transfer Regulation No. 10 should be modified so as to entitle the passenger called upon to give up his ticket under the Regulation to ask for a receipt for the same. In reply, the Managing Director of the Tramways Company informed the Commissioner in his letter, dated the 25th May 1910, that the Company were quite willing to issue receipts for all tickets, surrendered under the said Regulation and that instructions to that effect had been issued. This has not been provided for in the revised set of Regulation. The Managing Director however has, on the matter having been brought to his notice by the Committee, undertaken to append a footnote to that effect to the new Regulations :—

The Committee were informed at the last meeting by the Managing Director of the Tramways Company that the Company proposed to add the following Regulation :—" A passenger, when changing cars at a transfer junction, shall not continue his journey from that junction, in a car of the same section and sub-section as the car from which he has transferred." The Committee see no objection to the proposed Regulation. A correspondence between the authorities and employes of the Cama Hospital and the Tramways Company regarding the inconvenience caused to the Hospital staff and the public by the removal of the stopping station from the Cama Hospital to the Council Road, has been placed before the Committee by the Commissioner. The Committee, however, find that the balance of advantage is in favour of the present arrangement of the stopping station. They are, therefore, unable to recommend any alteration in the existing arrangement.

Dr. Sukhia agreed with the majority, but subject to the following:—" It would not be fair to the passengers if Bye-law No. 12, which was passed only a year ago by the Corporation and sanctioned by Government after due and very careful consideration be modified as contemplated by the report. Such a step would naturally cause bitterness in the minds of the public which would certainly be not to the advantage of the Company. I am also sorry to state that the petitions received from Dr. K. N. Sahiar and Mr. Laxuman Raoji Khot and others on the same subject and specifically referred to the Committee by the Corporation did not receive the full consideration they deserved at the hands of the Committee. I cannot understand why no reference is made in the report as to the serious and legitimate complaints made by the public to the Corporation on this subject, so that the Government and the Corporation may at least know the views of the public.

"In my opinion it is but fair that so long as passengers have paid full fare, which is recently enhanced for certain distance, they should be entitled to the full distance covered by the fare, but that too only so long as they travel by the direct car, in which case there is not the least chance of fraud being perpetrated in any way. So long as Company's servants are honest, the Company does not suffer, but if they are dishonest, notwithstanding the proposed modification, they can easily defraud their employers. For such a consequence the passengers should not be made to suffer."

It appears the Committee has taken very lightly the omission of the word "wilfully" from Bye-law 14. It is not at all right and proper to mulct passengers so long as they are not wilfully guilty, as it is a common law not to do so. Besides, on various occasions passengers are given tickets by the conductors which are torn while they separate them carelessly or hastily from the ticket box, and is it fair and equitable to charge passengers for the faults of the Tramway servants? During the monsoon season and on other occasions from excessively sweaty hands in the hot weather the tickets which are printed on very thin papers generally get spoiled or defaced which the Tramway Company, the Corporation and the Government should not forget. To be fair and just to all parties it is desirable and necessary to keep the words "wilfully" in the modified wording of Bye-law 14.

Mr. Shapurji Mistry signed the report with the following exception :—Transfer Regulation 4 is decidedly a one-sided one. The Company makes itself free to force the public to wait and waste their time on the roadway at the transfer stations, sometimes 15 or 20 minutes, perhaps more till they could supply accommodation to the waiting passengers in one of the cars following which may be the 1st or 2nd or even the 5th or 6th car; but the public are not free to proceed in the direction of their destination and thus take a chance of saving time either by boarding a car at the next stopping station or reaching their destination before any car should come up to take them in. At the Committee's meeting I gave the following illustration—I wanting to go to the Tramway offices board a car going to Auseum West. A transfer ticket is issued to me the transfer station punched being the Museum. Alighting there I see no sign of a car following and in order to save time I proceed up to the next halting station at the Apollo Hotel. Reaching there I still do not see any sign of a car following and I proceed and reach my destination and thus save my time. To this argument no answer came. I do not see why people should be forced to waste their time on the roadway. There is no good reason shown for it the only one shown being fraud and deception by the people in using the same ticket at the next halting station after attending some business. But it is not easy to practise such deception as the Company has a method of checking the numbers of tickets of cars that exchange passengers from one to another. Besides, there is the other obvious means practised every day of detection. Comparison tickets of passengers coming from the same one car to another. Then, again, a man, inclined to deceive would attend his business and turn up at the punched transfer station and use the same ticket. The detection in this case is taken to be easy and I must say it is as similar and easy in the other case also mentioned above. It has to be remembered that for protecting itself from stray possible cases of deception—for people surely do not practise deception ordinary—the Company should not be allowed to put the public at as whole to everyday inconvenience. This is not fair to the public. This regulation therefore should not be sanctioned.

Mr. Shapurji Mistry moved an amendment in terms of his minute that the transfer regulation 4 should not be sanctioned.

Mr. Sorabjee Dhondi seconded the amendment.

Dr Sukhia moved an amendment in terms of his minute.

Both the amendments on being voted upon were lost and the original proposition was agreed to.

This finished the business before the meeting.

KOHINOOR MILLS LIMITED.

General Meeting.

The sixteenth general meeting of the shareholders of the Kohinoor Mills Co., Ltd., was held in Bombay, on yesterday afternoon.

The Directors reported another very difficult year, the price of cotton having ruled very high, without corresponding advances in the prices of yarn and cloth. The outlook for the year they regretted to say, was very much the same, owing to the prevailing high rates of cotton, and they did hot anticipate any adequate relief until there was a substantial decline in the price of the raw material. The year's working, including the balance of Rs. 10,714-1-5 brought forward from last year, showed nett profit of Rs. 1,65,858. Out of this, the Directors had paid an ad-interim dividend for the six months ended 30th June, 1910 at Rs. 15 per share free of income tax, absorbing Rs. 5,57,400 and had placed to depreciation of machinery Rs. 50,000 leaving a balance, available for distribution, of Rs. 60,118 This it was proposed to dispose of as follows:—to dividend for six months ended 31st December 1910, at Rs. 15 per share, free of income tax Rs. 55,740 carried forward to next year's account Rs. 4,378. Sir Henry Procter, in proposing the adoption of the Directors' report said : "I very much regret that I cannot put before you a better report. The year has been an extremely difficult one and I think that, taking everything into consideration, the result is quite as good as we could have expected and certainly does not compare unfavourably with many of the other mills working in Bombay. As you will have seen from the report, your loom shed has been fully working since June, and the results so far have, I think, more than justified the action of your Directors in going in for weaving. Your Directors have only been able to declare a dividend of 6 per cent. by putting a considerably smaller amount to depreciation than they wished, but they felt they were justified in doing so for the following reasons. Calculating depreciation on the yearly values since the mill was started and taking it at 5 per cent. on machinery and 2 1/2 per cent. on buildings, the amount which should have been put aside by this time would amount to Rs. 10,27,000 Actually the amount set aside, including the Rs. 50,000 this year comes to Rs. 11,27,000, so that our depreciation accounts are well on the right side, and it was in view of these figures that your Directors considered they were justified in declaring the dividend which they have done and I trust and believe that their action will meet with your approval. You will notice that your Directors have not proposed any bonus for the staff this year. That they have not done so is entirely due to the fact that they hardly felt they were justified in doing so, looking at the results for the year and on the understanding that bonuses are always given in accordance with the prosperity of an undertaking. I would, however, point out to you that years such as the one we have just passed through are far more trying ones for the staff than prosperous years, and I consider that they are entitled to your best thanks for the excellent way in which they have carried on the work during the past year. As soon as times improve I feel sure you will recognise this by granting them an increased bonus. As stated in the report, your Directors have not thought it wise to take any steps in regard to the Naigaum mill property and I think you will agree with me that it was only right for them to act in this way looking at the present condition of the industry. Prospects, at the moment, are no better than they were a year ago, in fact, if anything, they are worse. I trust however, that before we meet again, there will have been considerable improvement and that I shall be able to put a more cheerful report before you.

BOMBAY PARSI GYMKHANA.

The Annual Report.

The report of the Parsi Gymkhana for the year ending Dec. 31, 1910, states that the balance sheet of account, shows the surplus of Rs. 900-12-7 at the end of the year, the total amount at the credit of the institution being Rs. 15,882-9-6 against Rs. 14,315-0-6 of the last year. The Committee trust that this will be found satisfactory. The number of members on the roll at the end of the year was 328 of whom 93 were life members, 164 subscribing members, and 71 on the absent list. There were during the year 25 new members elected, while 8 resigned. The Committee are glad to say that, as in previous years, several cricket matches during the last rains were played with the Bombay, Hindu and Islam Gymkhanas, and a programme of similar character to that of the previous seasons was gone through. The Parsi Presidency match at Poona was also gone through as usual, and resulted in a win for the Parsis. The new feature of playing Triangular matches during the "pucca" cricket season (monsoon) between the three communities, viz., the Europeans, the Parsis, and the Hindus, was continued this year, but both the matches were abandoned on account of the rain. The Committee take this opportunity to announce that at a meeting of representatives of the Bombay, Parsi and Hindu Gymkhanas, it was decided that (1) In the event of a draw in the first match the teams should toss up as to who should play in the final; (2) in the event of a drawn game in the final the winning side in the last decisive contest remain in bye in subsequent years until actually defeated. (3) These rules to take effect from the 1st January 1911, but in the event of a drawn game the final match in the year 1910, rule (2) should take effect from the the year 1910, and that in accordance with this ruling the final match between the Europeans and the Hindus having been abandoned owing to rains, the Europeans remained in bye also for the year 1911.

The important feature of the 1910-11 tennis season was the getting up of a single and a double handicap tournaments for silver cups, which were kindly presented by our member Mr. Rustom N. Wadia to whom the Committee's best thanks are due for his munificent gift. The single tournament was won by Mr. M. K. Mehta and the runner-up was Mr. A. B. Kanga. The double tournament was won by Messrs. N. P. Engineer and M. K. Mehta, the runners-up being Messrs. R. N. Wadia, the donor of the prizes, and Mr. M. P. Dadachanji.

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NERVOUS DEBILITY.

Its Cause and Cure.

In consequence of the stress of modern life, Nervous Debility is one of the most prevalent disorders of mankind.

The everlasting wear and tear of the nervous system incidental to the demands of daily life, are not repaired as readily as when men lived more peacefully and had more time for the recuperative powers to exercise their influence on the body. The result is, we are all prone to make overdrafts on the bank of health.

To conquer this evil we need something which will restore the excess of phosphorus used up in the vital processes and supply a food which is easily digested and readily assimilated, for the tired body has not the nervous force necessary to digest the heavy foods most of us have to eat.

The preparation which supplies these essential qualities in an ideal form is Sanatogen. It is universally recognised by the medical profession as the world's greatest restorative and reconstituent. The phosphorus it contains rouses the feeble flame of vitality to a blaze, while the large quantity of nutritive casein of which it is, likewise, composed, is quickly and easily assimilated by the feeble digestive apparatus. The result is soon felt in renewed strength and vigour, both of body and mind.

Sir Charles A. Cameron, C.B., M.D., F.R.C.P., etc., Medical Officer of Health and Public Analyst, Dublin, says : "After analysing Sanatogen I have arrived at the conclusion that Sanatogen is a substance of the highest nutritive value, containing as it does a large amount, relatively speaking, of organic phosphorus, that is, phosphorus which is offered to the tissues in exactly the form in which it can be easily absorbed. It is an excellent nerve tonic."

Sanatogen may be obtained at all Chemists and Bazaars.

DEPARTURES.

Per s. s. "Salsette," April 15.

THE P. & O. Co's. mail steamer "Salsette" Captain H. U. H. Lewellin, R. N. R., leaving Bombay to-morrow connects at Aden with the s. s. "Moldavia" for Marseilles and London takes the following passengers :—

Ainsworth, Mr J L
Alexander, Mr P S
Alexander, Mr S W
Archbold, Mr W A
Balfour, Mr K N
Baldock, Maj C B
Barbosa Capt L P
Barbosa (jnr) Mr
Batchelor, Hon Mr Justice, S L
Billpodiwallah, Dr & Mrs
Blacklock, Mr
Bradley, Mr T
Broadley, Mr K
Byramjee Nowrojee, Mr
Cumberland Maj R O
Carter, Col C H P
Cherry, Mr K M
Chitty, Mrs
Cockell, Mr H A
Cooke, Mr A F
Dinshaw, Mr F E
Edward, Mr W B
Enriques, Col F D
Etherton, Mr F T
Forbes, Tulloch Mrs W
Fremantle, Mr A W
Griffin, Mrs H D
Hart, Mr and Mrs Gordon
Honeyburn, Mrs M
House, Mr H F, I C S
Hughes, Mr C de C
Ingham, Mr W T
Ingham, Capt and 4 native servants
Inverarity, Mr I D
Karachiwalla, Mr
Keary, Brig-Genl H D V
Kent, Atkinson Mr R
Keays, Mr E
Kisch, Mr and Mrs B S
Lawrence, Miss
Lunn, Mr W H
Mayne, Capt E M
MacVicar Smith, Mr
Mansfield, Mr A
Mead, Mr T
Mehta, Mr H M
Mort, Major and Mrs G M
Mulla, Mrs S F
Muscenden, Major F W
Nicol, Mr B H
O'Donnell, Mrs M
Peake, Mr and Mrs
Peck, Major E S
Pestonjee, Mr
Plummer, Mr H L
Prendergast, Mr W J
Procter, Kt Hon'ble Sir Henry
Qaeripel, Mr A L
Raike's servant, Mr E B
Raikes, Mr and Mrs E B and child nurse and infant
Rainey, Major E F
Rase, Mr C A
Reever, Mr
Rossitor, Mr V
Rossiter, Mrs H D
Robertson, Hon'ble Mr. Justice L J
Robertson, Mrs
Sanders, Mr
Scott, Kt Hon Sir Basil
Shaw, Mr R
Singh, Prince Mahajit
Singh, Prince Amarji
Singh, Prince Karamjit
Stirling, Mr T S
Story, Mr S S
Straugman, Hon Mr T J
Strangman, Mrs
Turner, Mr and Mrs F C
Varley, Mr F J
Wardle, Mr H
Warrock, Miss
West, Mr A
Wigley, Mr F G
Wilson, Mr W
Wilson, Mr W N
Yapp, Mrs

Per s. s. "Praga," April 15.

List of passengers proceeding to Trieste and Venice via intermediate ports, per Austrian Lloyd's s. s. "Praga" to-morrow, from the Victoria Dock No. 7. The Medical inspection of the Saloon passengers will take place at the Victoria Dock No. 7 to-morrow at 5 p.m. Deck passengers and native servants must be present at the Port Health Disinfecting Station, Frere Road, near Prince's Dock, with all their luggage and kit, to-morrow, at 2-30 p.m.

Algie, Mrs
Barefoot, Mr H M
Beach, Major
Bliss, Mrs
Borel, Mrs M L
Broad, Lt Ch N F
Carter, Mr S J
Charpie, Mr W
Cheaney, Col and Mrs H F
Conway, Mr
Craster, Capt W S
Dallapo.ta, Mr and Mrs J
Daubble, Miss
Donald, Mr W H
Duberley, Mr S
Duncan, Lt
Ernst, Mr O
Flashmann, Er and Mrs
Flashmann, Miss
Frewen, Lt L
Furniwall, Capt W
Garwood, Capt J F
Gibb, Hon Mr and Mrs
Green, Mr A G
Griffith, Mr W C
Hamilton, Mr and Mrs H and child
Hammond, Mr A H
Hamlyn, Mr W F
Heaton, Hon Mr and Mrs M J
Heaton, Miss
Holz, Mr and Mrs F R
Holz, Miss
Hogg, Mr and Mrs M M
Hotrobin, Mr A
Hoffer, Mr O
Irwin, Major and Mrs A A
Kochlar Mr J
Leisre, Mr H
Lobenhoffer, Mr A
Mc d'Butt Lt F C
Marshall, Mr T W
Maclean, Col and Mrs F B
Menke, Mrs W
Meir, Mr E
Millard, Miss
Morris, Mr R
Mulder, Mr A
Muspratt, Lt-Col F C
Newal, Lt C L
Norton, Mr W
Oaten, Mr
Parker, Mr E A
Phayre, Maj -Genl. A
Purvis, Col. and Mrs
Rogers, Mr and Mrs E
Rodocanachi, Mr C
Russell, Prof. C
Sanders, Mr and Mrs A D
Schulenberg, Count
Schulten, Dr. C
Schleicher, Mr F, and 3 children
Smith, Mrs V P, and infant
Smidt, Mr Hans
Sunderland, Mr J B
Sumner, Mr C
Syner, Mrs B H
Turner-Green, Mr and Mrs W, nurse, child and infant
Turner, Lt. H S
Vairslovich, Mr
Vickers, Mr and Mrs
Wengle, Mr and Mrs, and infant
Wyvill-Thomson, Col. and Mrs
Zaitschek, Mr E

Per s.s. "Circassia," April 15.

The Anchor Line s. s. "Circassia" will sail from No. 2 shed, Victoria Dock, to-morrow morning with following passengers. Medical inspection will take place alongside the ship at 11 a.m.

List of saloon passengers sailing per s. s. "Circassia" on 15th April, 1911:—

TO MARSEILLES.

Burch, Mr A R child, 2 infants and nurse
Henderson, Hunt Mrs F 2 children, infant.
Hoymer, Miss
Maitland-Kirwan, Mrs T D
Mumme's, Mrs and nurse
Thomas, Mrs M S
Tayler, Mr A B

TO LONDON.

Bennett, Capt W P
Bedford, Lt Col C H
Bedford, Mrs
Bowie, Mr and child
Blewitt, Maj and friend
Crichton, Rev A S
Crichton, Mrs
Clayton, Lt H R
Christie, Lt Col J H
Christie, Mrs
Curle, Lt
Evans, Mr W
Fulton, Mrs and child
Hiwell, Capt F R C
Jones, Mr B C
Jones, Mrs M
Kay, Mrs
Lewis, Col C W
Macleod, Miss E
Namme, Mr K C and infant
Robertson, Miss E
Swann, Mrs J C
Swann, Miss
Stewart, Maj A C

TO LIVERPOOL.

Adams, Mrs
Butters, Mrs and infant
Briscoe, Mr and Mrs R B
Barton, Mrs nurse and infants
Beynon, Mrs, 2 children and nurse
Davidson, Mrs and infant
Fane, Mr and Mrs
Foster, Mrs H 2 children and 2 infants
Goodwin, Mr F
Goodwin, Mrs
Hannah, Miss
Jackson, Mrs T S and 2 infants
Mrs Kay's Maid
Moore, Miss E X
Nainby, Miss E
Robinson, Master M
Reynolds, Mrs and infant
Sharmen, Miss E
Taylor, Mrs
Wakefield, Mrs 2 children and infant
Wakefield, Miss

SECOND CLASS :—Rochs, Mr F

SPORTING NEWS.

HOCKEY.

Aga Khan Tournament.

GRANT MEDICAL COLLEGE vs, B. E. S. OLD BOYS.

On Thursday evening, on the Marine Lines ground, Bombay, one of the matches in the semi-final round of the Aga Khan Hockey Tournament was played, the contesting teams being the Grant Medical College and the Bombay Eucation Society Old Boys. Although the Medical College team has a reputation for figuring prominently in the closing stages of the Tournament, the win of the B. E. S. Old Boys against the R. G. A. team on Wednesday, suggested that yesterday's game would be an open one. The B. E. S. Old Boys broke away for the centre "bully," but the Medical team soon retaliated and put in a cleverly combined forward run, forcing a corner off their opponents. The corner, however, was not converted. The Grant Medicals continued to press, but failed to score, their shooting being somewhat erratic. The B. E. S. Old Boys put up a stubborn defence against the Medicals forwards who repeatedly approached within striking distance. On one occasion there was a dangerous moment of close play in front of the B. E. S. goal-mouth, but Easdon, who was in possession, failed to get through. After more aggressive play, Hayter at last managed to beat Mullen, who had kicked out safely a moment before from a shot by the same player. The Medicals were still getting the better of the exchanges, but play was carried on in mid-field. The whistle announced half-time, the score being

Grant Medicals	1 Goal
B. E. S. Old Boys	Love

On the recommencement of play, the medical team recontinued their attack, and although the B. E. S. Old Boys' forwards got away with the ball more than once, they were unable to pass the opposing backs. However, the Old Boys' two gradually took up the attack and on occasions Steinhoff was unfortunate in failing to score. Play now became more open until Mullen saved cleverly from a dangerous close range shot put in by Easdon. A good combination run was now put in by the Old Boys, but Gilder's shot went wide and the Medicals once again took up the attack, Easdon and Hayter each scoring a goal in quick succession. The Grant Medical team, having an established lead, played with more confidence than their opponents and kept them in their own half except on one occasion when, from a corner, Canteenwalls had to save from a shot by Major. Time came with the score :—

Grant Medical College	3 Goals
B. E. S. Old Boys	Nil

The teams were as follows :—

GRANT MEDICAL COLLEGE : Goal, Canteenwalls ; backs, Hildreth and Easdon ; half backs, Newland, Osborne and Windsor, forwards, Fergusson, Cooke, Hayter, A. Easdon and McMorris.

B. E. S. OLD BOYS :—Goal, G. Mullen ; backs, Dudley and Murray ; half backs, Cutler, Holtham and Stephens ; forwards, Gilder, Major, Steinhoff Rickwood and Millard.

Results to date :—

Parsi Pioneer "B"	Bye		Tr'm'y Co 3—2	
Bombay Tramways Co.	„			Grant Med. 5-0
Rising Star	„			
Bombay Gymkhana	Grant Med. 2—0	Grant Med. 3—0		
Grant Medical				
Wilson College	B.E.S. W.O.	B. E. S. 2—1		
B. E. S. Old Boys				
Pioneers "A"	Pioneers' A' 1—0		B. E. S. 4—1	Grant Medicals 3—0
Y. M. C. A.				
R. G. A. Bombay	R.G.A. 3—1	R.G.A. 1—0		
Parsi Pioneers "A"				
Royal Warwicks	Cyclists 2—0			
B. V. R. Cyclists				
All Blacks	All Blacks 5—0	Lus. w.o.		
Marine Wanderers				
Young Parsi H. C.	Lus. 6—1			
Lusitanians				
Durham L'ght Infty	D.L.I. 7—0	Dors'ts 1—0		Lus. 2—1
Pioneers "B"				
2nd Dorsets	Dors'ts 1—0			
Elphinstone College Gym.				
Hornets Athletic Club (bye)			Ches. Regt. 7—0	Ches. Regt. 2-0
Cheshire Regt	„			
14th Hussars	„	Hus-s'rs 2—0		
G. I. P. Railway	„			

CHARITY MATCH.

This afternoon a match will be played on the Marine Lines Ground between teams selected from the military and civilian clubs competing in the Aga Khan Tournament. Two cups have been presented. The "bully-off" will be at 5-40 and the proceeds anonymously will be given to cosmopolitan charities in Bombay.

The teams will be is follows :—

CIVILIANS :—Dawes (Gymkhana) goal; W. George and L. George (B. V. R. Cyclists) backs; halves : P. R. Cadell (Capt.) (B. V. R. Cyclists), P. Holtham (B. E. S. Old Boys), and E L. Sim (Gymkhana); forwards, H. Templeton and L. Hyde (B. V. R. Cyclists) H. Vidal, (Gymkhana) G. B. Balu (Elphinstone College) and C. Millard (B. E. S. Old Boys.)

MILITARY:—Bombardier Anderson, (R.G.A.) goal; Lieut. E.M. Onslow, (Royal Warwicks.) and Lieut. A. H. M. Wilson (Capt.) (12th Cav.), backs; halves Lieut. R. G. Wordsworth and Sergt. Hunt; (R. G. A.), Lieut. Burroughs; (4th Rajputs); forwads, Lieut. Elliott, (R.G.A.), Lieut. James (90th Berars), Lieut. Brooke, (R.G.A.), Lieut. Ralston, (4th Rajputs), and Sergt. Hallard (14th Hussars).

Referees: Major Hume and Mr. W. R. Sharpe.

The "Coblenews American," Manila, on the 14th March published no editorial, but in the centre of a huge blank, double column space are the words:—The comments written for this department last night were too warm for the linotypes and a breakdown resulted, hence this blank."

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BOMBAY GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

("Bombay Government Gazette," April 13.)

Mr. Govind Krishna Kale, Inspecting Second Class Subordinate Judge for the Thana, Ratnagiri, Nasik and Khandesh (Judicial) Districts, to do duty as Additional First Class Subordinate Judge, Thana.

Mr. Govind Krishna Kale to be also an Assistant Sessions Judge for the Thana Sessions Division.

Mr. Dhanjisha Dosabhai Cooper to be Second Class Second Grade, Subordinate Judge, and to do duty as Inspecting Second Class Subordinate Judge, Thana, Ratnagiri, Nasik and Khandesh (Judicial) Districts, with head-quarters at Thana, during the absence on deputation of Mr. Govind Krishna Kale or pending further orders.

Mr. Sakarlal Javerilal Yajnik to act as Second Class, Fourth Grade, Subordinate Judge, Bassein, during the absence on deputation of Mr. Dhanjisha Dosabhai Cooper or pending further orders.

Mr. Ratanji Mancherji, Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Ahmedabad, is granted privilege leave on full pay for one month and twenty-four days with effect from 6th June.

Mr. Brijlal Keshavlal to be substantive protem. Fourth Grade Deputy Superintendent of Police, vice Kumar Shri Mansinhji on deputation, and to do duty as Deputy Superintendent of Police, Kaira.

Mr. Zal K. N. Kabraji to be Deputy Superintendent of Police, Surat vice Mr. Rajaram Raghunath Shirgaonkar proceeding on leave, pending further orders.

Mr Vishwanath Narayan Sathaye is allowed an extension by six months of furlough granted to him.

Mr Bapu Hari Godbole to act as Huzur Deputy Collector, Satara, during the absence on leave of Mr Shivram Sadashiv Bhide or pending further orders.

Mr M M Vakil, L M & S, Civil Surgeon, Kaira, is granted privilege leave of absence for one month and fifteen days from the date of relief.

Mr Shivram Sadashiv Bhide, Huzur Deputy Collector, Satara, is allowed privilege leave for three months with effect from the date of relief.

The following transfers are ordered:—Mr Krishnaji Narayan Patwardhan, Supervisor, First Grade, from the Sholapur to the Pravara Canals District. Mr. Paul Braganza, Overseer, from the PravaraCanals to the East Khandesh District.

Third Grade Police Inspector Keshav Vithal Kokje, of the Criminal Investigation Department, is granted one month's privilege leave with effect from the 16th April or subsequent date.

Probationary Fourth Grade Inspector Mir Hasanalli Mir Imamalli, of the Ratnagiri District, is confirmed in his appointment.

Third Grade Police Inspector Kumar Laxmanwalla, of the Panch Mahals District, is transferred to the Palanpur Agency, in relief of Fourth Grade Inspector Kishordas Pransukhram, who is granted two months' privilege leave with effect from the date of relief.

Inspector Kishordas Pransukhram, on return from leave, is posted to the Panch Mahals District.

Second Grade Prosecuting Police Inspector Vishwanath Krishna Bapat, of the Bijapur District, is granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from such date as he may avail himself of it.

Mr Purushottam Annant Lele, is appointed, to be a conciliation within the Rajapur Taluka in the Ratnagiri District vice Mr Antaji Narayan Bhave resigned.

Mr Dattatraya Narayan Kanade is authorised to practise the Sholapur District.

Mr Janardan Vishvanath Tilak is authorised him to practise as a Pleader in the Thana District.

Mr Premraj Shaligram Marwadi is authorised to practise as a Pleader in the Khandesh District.

Mr Amulakhrai Chhaganla, Aval Karkun, Daskroi, is appointed to act as Mamlatdar of that taluka during Mr Ardeshir Fardunji Dalal's absence on six weeks' privilege leave with effect from 3rd April.

The following transfers of Mamlatdars are ordered:—Mr Vali Baksh Adam Patel from Bardoli to Mehmadabad, and Mr Dalpatram Bapuram from Mehmadabad to Bardoli.

Mr G G Phadke, Mamlatdar of Jamkhed, is granted privilege leave for one month and a half, and Mr G V Joshi, Head Karkun, taluka Nevasa, is appointed to act in his place or until further orders.

In consequence of the appointment of Mr B H Godbole, B A Mamlatdar of Sholapur, to act as Huzur Deputy Collector, Satara, Mr Vasudev Raoji Parasnis, Head Clerk to the Collector of Sholapur, is appointed to act as Mamlatdar of Sholapur, or pending further orders.

Mr Vishnu Sadashiv Kelkar, Mamlatdar of Kalvan, is granted privilege leave for twenty-nine days, and Mr Shankar Vishwanath Barve, Head Karkun, is appointed to act in his place or until further orders.

The election of Mr. Atmaram Keshav Kulkarni, Mamlatdar, as Vice-President of the Taluka Local Board, Yaval in the East Khandesh District, is approved.

Mr Vasudev Bapuji Shrotri to be President of the Municipality of Vambori in the Ahmednagar District vice Mr. Keshav Damodar Gune, resigned.

The appointment by election of Mr. S. S. Deshpande, B. A. Mamlatdar of Panvel, as Vice-President of the Taluka Local Board of Panvel, in the Kolaba District vice Mr. V. K. Puranik, resigned, is approved.

THE LADIES' CORNER.

AN ORIGINAL DIRECTOIRE GOWN.

Very elegant and original is a dress worn in the new play at the Porte Saint Martin, Paris. The style is distinctly Directoire, and, given a good shaped foot and ankle, very charming. It is difficult to analyse the composition of the skirt, as the effect was made as much by the colouring as the material. To begin with, there is a tight-fitting skirt of cloth of gold, covered with pink mousseline de soie that softens it, and over this a tunic, forming a train, in orange veiling. This tunic is trimmed with a wonderful embroidery of blue, yellow, violet and red, in a Persian design, each motive outlined with black, continuing upon the bodice, and sleeves opening to disclose the arm from the shoulder. A Persian blue satin ribbon forms the waist band, tied at the back in a large Japanese bow with ends falling in long lines at the back. The skirt is raised on one side with a knot of orange and pink mousseline de soie, veiled, and a small buckle of simili diamonds. At a recent reception a dress in white satin and swansdown created something of a sensation with a similar arrangement of the skirt and in a company of literary men and artists was voted delightful. But it is scarcely a style that will be popular or that can be worn by everybody. It requires an artistic environment to have the success anticipated. One hears, however, that many of our pretty mondaines are ordering evening dresses after this description.

PARISIAN HAT FASHIONS.

In Paris nothing changes so quickly as the fashion in hats. At the races in mail week there were numbers of pretty women each wearing the style that seemed made to suit the shape of her head. One in fine black tagal, with a high draped crown, and a tiny brim in front, widening at the sides and back, turned back upon the shape, lined with deep-blue velvet; a feather in the same blue placed on one side aloft. This hat is worn frankly over one eye, but not hiding it, and quite low at the back like a cap. Violet velvet and crimson and red roses compose the second hat. But the charm lies in the colouring, that a few crude words cannot give. The quality of velvet and flowers make the beauty of this creation, that would lose its smartness if attempted in materials inferior. Soft velvet covers the brim and appears again in the wide double bow amid the roses. Nothing more becoming can be imagined than this harmony of cerise and violet with a dark blue tailor costume, or with a black or white mousseline de soie. Another popular shape is the pointed "clown," in white straw lined entirely with white satin, with a narrow brim of the satin turning back upon the straw like a small revers. The only trimming is a flat elongated leaf in black velvet, boldly placed across the front on one side, and a square piece of scarlet cloth surmounted by a white silk "pompon." This hat, in white straw, is only suitable to a young face, but in black can be worn by any woman who dresses her hair wide and wavy.

DIVINE SERVICE.

Easter Sunday 16th April.

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

The Cathedral (St. Thomas' the Apostle, Church Gate Street. Clergy: Rev. C. M. Barham, Acting Archdeacon and Rev. W. A. Sawtell, 6 a.m., and 7 a. m., Holy Communion; 7-45 a. m., Matins; 8-30 a. m., Holy Communion.—Choral—Harwood in A flat Hymns 134, 131, 322 and 499 595; 6-30 p.m., Evensong and Sermon. Canticles—Stanford in B. flat. Anthem—They have taken away my Lord—"Stainer." Hymns—135 and 140 Collections for—All Saints' community. Daily Matins at 7-15 a.m., and Evensong at 5-15 p.m. Daily Holy Communion at 7-45 a.m. On Wednesdays, Choral Evensong at 6-30 p.m.

Good Friday.

St. Peter's Mazagon—Clergy: Rev Fathers Biscoe Langmore and Chard—7 a m Matins; 9-30 a m 1st part of Liturgy and the "Reproaches" 7-30 am, Stations of the Cross. 12 to 3 p m The "Three Hours" Service Addresses by Father Chard. 6-30 p m, Evensong and Sermon by Rev J H Lord. Alms for the "Mission to the Jews."

Easter Eve.

6-30 a m, Matins and 1st part of Liturgy. 6-30 p m, Evensong and Sermon by Father Biscoe.

Easter Day.

6-30 a m Holy Eucharist; 7-30 a m Matins; 8 a m Choral Eucharist; 6-30 p m Evensong and Sermon by Father Langmore Alms for the work of S S T E.

St. Mary the Blessed Virgin, Parel—Clergy: Rev P. Eykyn—7 a.m. Holy Communion plain; 8-30 a m, Holy Communion, Choral; 5-15 p m Sunday School and Bible Classes; 6-30 p m, Evensong and Sermon. Preacher: Rev. J. Andrew Smith.

Good Friday.

8-30 a.m. Matins, Anti-communion and Commination Service; 6-30 p.m., Evensong and Story of Cross. Preacher—Revj Andrew Smith Offertories for the day on behalf of the foreign and Parochial Mission to the Jews.

Easter Day 16th April.

Emmanuel Church, Girgaum—Clergy: Rev. Cannon Heywood; Rev. J. H. Robinson; Rev. T. Sharpley and Rev. D. L. Joshi, 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 11-30 a m, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion and Sermon; 5 p m, Joint Children's Service: 6-30 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Collections for the C. M. S. Bombay Congregations.

BAPTIST.

Worshipping at Y M C A Hall—Minister: Rev H E Barrell. 8-30 a m, Morning Service.: Rev H E Barrell; at 6 30 p m, Evening Service,

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The curiously versatile Mr. Rudolf Besier, in his new work, writes still in another style. We have had tragedy in verse and problem comedy and serious comedy from his pen, each admirable in its way, and now comes a clever light comedy without a serious moment in it. The author has set out to make fun of the intense, soulful, artisic people whose vague cravings spur them on to desires for wickedness that they have not the strength of will to commit. Simply regarded as a light comedy it is thoroughly entertaining, though cuts are needed in some scenes or else swifter acting is necessary. In addition "Lady Patricia" has a curious esoteric humour. Mrs. Campbell has rendered better than anyone else the yearning intense, soulful creatures of our modern drama; so the play is named after her, and she with irresistible humour burlesques her own work in such characters. It was even whispered in the theatre that Mr. Besier, with the lady's permission, has been making fun of her own character; but, since I have not the privilege of being acquainted with her, I know nothing about that. At any rate, it was exceedingly amusing to watch Mrs. Patrick Campbell's delicate burlesque of some of her own brilliant performances. The burlesque is so delicate that the unobservant might even imagine she is acting quite seriously and over-acting unintentionally. For to her credit it must be said that she did not "give the show away" for a moment. This finely humorous performance of Mrs. Campbell and the delightful pictures which she presented upon the stage might make the success of any piece, and one may fairly say that the play has plenty of claims of its own to success.

PLOT OF THE PLAY.

Lady Patricia Cosway and her husband Michael were a pair of wealthy, highly cultured people, romantic in temperament, who ought to have made an ideal husband and, wife but by the time they had passed the first flush of youth they had grown rather tired of one another; yet each took intense pains to conceal this sad fact from the other, and acted as if intensely devoted. For she thought that if Michael knew she had ceased to love him his grief would be fatal: he had the same delusion concerning her. So Patricia fell in love with a callow youth named Bill, whose vocabulary contained only three adjectives—"ripping," "corking," and "clinking"—for application to Swinburne's poetry and to Patricia's beauty and all her romantic ideas. Bill liked being petted and caressed, and neither of them went, or intended to go further than foolish flirtation. Michael fell in love with a "flapper," Miss Clare Lesley, daughter of the agreeable Dean Lesley, and the girl was flattered by the attention of the man whom she regarded as a dear old creature: she even permitted him to kiss her. Of course there was no real mischief in this affair. So this was the state of things when the play opened in a quaint, charming scene consisting of a platform built in the middle of an oak-tree with a tiny little summer-house on it. Neither Patricia nor Michael in their foolish, naughty love-affairs, had taken into account the call of youth to youth; no sooner did Bill and Clare meet on another than they fell in love, and then they found themselves in an awkward position because of their entanglements; and Bill had not the pluck to break Patricia's heart by saying he had ceased to love her, and Clare could not make up her mind to be cruel enough to destroy the fond delusion of Michael so the author's problem was to bring about the engagement of Bill and Clare and the reunion of the Cosways. There is no need to tell the ingenious devices adopted by him to delay and bring about the denouncment: they were fanciful and entertaining and worked out by characters drawn with very great skill.

THE CLEVERNESS OF THE ACTING.

For instance, there was the old gardener, Mr. Baldwin, a man of few words or ideas, in the hands of Mr. C. V. France, delighted the audience. Even his simple humours connected with lighting the lamps in the tree were so neatly handled by author and actor as to cause roars of laughter. Moreover, there was the Dean, a great diplomatist, a worldly old boy with a great weakness for women, on whom, to some extent, the play was centred, since his dexterous strategy in dealing with human hearts did much to bring about the solution. Mr. Eric Lewis rendered the part perfectly, and gave full value to many quaint touches of comic business. Bill is little more than a sketch made vivid by the talent of Mr. Charles Maude. Clare, the "flapper," was more fully developed; there was much skill in the treatment of the young hoyden, half frightened and tamed for a while by the love of the middle-aged man; Miss Athene Seyler played the part very cleverly, and Mr. Arthur Wontner acted excellently as Michael. Still one turns again to Patricia, and Patricia in beautiful, strange costumes, languorously reciting poetry to the callow Bill and employing with little effect upon him the wonderful tones of her lovely voice; and Patricia forgetful of her romantic, poetic soul, and telling a number of clever fibs to get herself out of a scrape; and Patricia gushing about the flowers and the nightingale and the moon, and giving cat-like little scratches to Clare, and in the last act presenting herself in a striking black costume, looking as graceful young, and beautiful as when London was fascinated by her in "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray." Hers was a really remarkable performance. During one or two recent seasons she seemed to act in a somewhat listless manner, but in mail week, her work was absolutely brilliant, and showed in some details a finesse of technique such as, I think, she has never exhibited before. No wonder such a performance, in a play rich in subtle humour as well as broad strokes of comedy caused the audience to be enthusiastic and to give repeated calls for the actress and also the author of this light comedy, which calls to mind, by way of an image, the delicately cooked omelette with asparagus points which the Dean ate rather greedily in the last act.

"THE SINS OF SOCIETY."

That stirring melodrama "The Sins of Society," which Mr. Arthur Collins is revived in mail week at Drury Lane, is probably best remembered by the scene at the bridge club, and the sensational effect of the sinking of the troopship with all the soldiers standing at attention. "Not only," runs an inspired communication, "will all the scenery and effects be new, but in the Longchamp scene several Parisian dressmakers have been given carte blanche in designing the most up-to-date harem skirts. Mrs. Langtry's gowns may also be depended on as being the dernier cri in fashionable circles." The piece, which, next to "The Whip," was one of the most successful ever known at Old Drury, was, it may be remembered withdrawn in the middle of its first run to make way for the pantomime.

SORROWS OF A MUSICAL COMEDY LIBRETTIST.

Pity the sorrows of a musical comedy librettist. Mr. George Grossmith, jun., has been explaining in the "Daily Express" the difficulties of his art. The composer is apparently the great stumbling block: You bring on your people—they give you the position of affairs—then they are switched off for a touch-and-go duet or your composer's sextet—and away goes your story of sheep desperate necessity. Two pages more dialogue—and remember that is your sole allowance between two numbers—and then your composer is in the saddle again with his rollicking chorus or his new wonder in three-four time. No wonder, therefore, he argues, that musical comedy "books" are sometimes rather fearful and wonderful affairs. Yet it is to be feared that some will find the defence a little thin. If the librettists are so narrowly restricted, the wonder is that they do not make better use of such time as is afforded them. As it is, the predominant impression too often derived from works of this class is that of arid stretches of would-be humorous dialogue, remarkable chiefly for its inanity. One has heard of the individual who took credit for the bad words he refrained from using. Musical comedy librettists claim similar credit apparently for the good things which they are forced to leave out.

MUSICAL COMEDY.

After the success of "The Chocolate Soldier," more than usual interest will attach to the forthcoming production by Mr. F. C. Whitney of his second venture in the same field in the shape of "Baron Trenck," which is due for presentation at the Strand Theatre (shortly to be known as the Whitney) on Easter Monday. The date will not, perhaps, commend itself to everyone, but the public at large will doubtless, make it convenient to attend a premiere which, if report may be trusted, promises much. The importance played by the music in the scheme of the work may be gathered from the engagement of Mr. Walter Hyde and Miss Caroline Hatchard for two of the principal parts.

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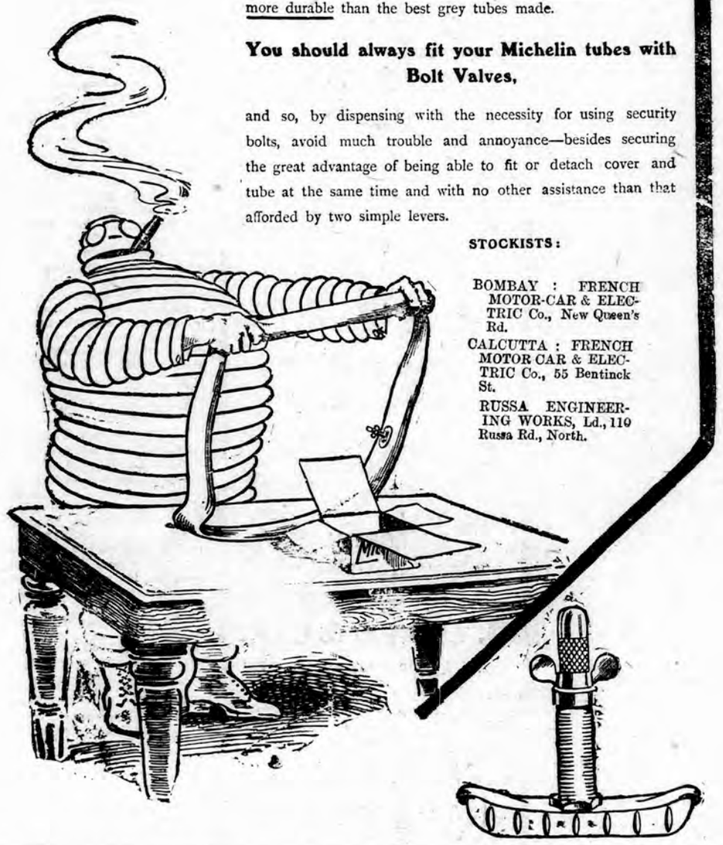

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